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Cutting Affray in a Music Hall. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—During a quarrel in a music hall on Kearn street last night. Edward Byrnes, a recent arrival from Seattle, slashed Charles Williams, a bartender, with a razor, inflicting a wound which may prove fatal.

IN GUAM.

Emancipator Leary on His Mettle.

He Orders Abolition of Peonage in the Island.

Col. Pettit Makes Charges of Startling Nature.

Says Transport Manuense Was Not Seaworthy.

of Provisions on the Voyage to Manila—The Logan at Singapore-Lawton Fund.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.] [A. P. DAY REPORT.]

MANILA, Jan. 2.—[By Manila Cable.]

A naval officer who has arrived here
from Guam brings a proclamation issued by Capt. Leary, naval governoof that island, decreeing the absolute
prohibition and total abolition of slavarry or peopage. He order taking effect ery or peonage, the order taking effect February 22.

The prologue of the proclamation de-clares that the Spanish system of pe-onage, amounting to slavery, is a menace to popular liberty and a viola-tion of the privileges guaranteed by the American Constitution.

TERRIBLE SEA EXPERIENCES. CHARGES AGAINST MANUENSE

CHARGES AGAINST MANUENES.

[A. F. DAY REPORT.]

MANILA, Jan. 2, 6:45 p.m.—[By Manila Cable.] Col. Pettit, commanding the Thirty-first—Infantry, and Lieut. Col. Hayes, who commanded the three companies of that regiment on beard the transport Manuense, which arrived here November 21 and reported terrible experiences at sea, the steamer being classed as unseaworthy, under-manned and short of provisions, have filed official reports corroborating in every detail the exclusive story of the Associated Press at the time, describing the hardships of the soldiers.

The colonel's report, which is particularly vigorous, recommends a claim against the ship's owners for the uniforms of the whole battalion, which were ruined during the passage. [A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WIND-UP OF SMALLPOX. SOLDIERS WILL SAIL SOON.
[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.-The BAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The smallpox camp which was established at Angel Island, November 18, when the Forty-eighth Infantry went into quarantine there, was broken up today. Twenty-three men of the Forty-eighth Regiment, who had been suffering from smallpox, were released from their long isolation. These soldiers, with all the casuals who are ready to travel will

HEMP PORTS TO BE OPENED.

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—A special to
the Herald from Washington says that
Secretary Root has taken measures to
preak the corner in hemp. As a result f discussing the matter with the President, he has cabled this instruc President, he has cabled this instruc-tion to Maj.-Gen. Otis: "Apparently speculative corner in hemp here. Is raising prices to great injury legiti-mate consumers. Desirable to get south hemp ports open soon as practi-cable."

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This instruction is due to the protests made by prominent cordage manufacturers and by farmers, calling attention to the fact that the opening of ports in Northern Luson today would afford no relief to the hemp situation, and earneedly requesting that southern ports be garrisoned—and opened to the trade.

The important hemp ports of the Philippines are Calbayog, Lagraja, Paranas, Surigao, Barugo, Tacloban, Bay, Legaspi, Tabac, Sorsogan, Bubat and Mailtbog. Cordage manufacturers are anxious that some of these ports shall be opened. In a letter to Assistant Secretary of War Melklejohn, the writer said that if the hemp now at the several ports of the Philippines were exported, it would be immediately dispatched to this country by steamships at low rates of freight and be manufactured into binder twine in sufficient time for the farmers.

Missouri left Manila December 31 San Francisco, with 286 sick sol-s on board. LAWTON RELIEF FUND.

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[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Gen. Corbin, chairman of the Lawton Relief Committee, announces that the subscriptions to the Lawton fund received up to today amount to \$39,263, which does not include all the subscriptions made to the independent agents in various outside cities. LOGAN AT SINGAPORE.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SINGAPORE (Straits Settlement.)

Jan. 2.—The United States transport

Logan, from New York November 20,
has arrived here on her way to Manila.

> SECRETARIES SWORN IN. MERICAN OFFICERS PRESENT

AMERICAN OFFICERS PRESENT.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

HAVANA, Jan. 2.—[By West Indian Cable.] The President of the Supreme Court, Señor Mendosa, in the throne room of the palace at 19 o'clock today, administered the oath of office to members of the new Cabinet, with the exception of Señor Villalon, the Secretary of Public Works, who is unable to reach here before next Sunday. The witnesses of the ceremony were Gens. Wood and Chaffee and Cols. Richards, Dudley and Black, all in full uniform. The oath was the ordinary one administered to all Cuban officials taking office under the present authority, swearing allegiance for the time being to the military authorities of the United States.

CORNISH PUMPED IN THE TRIAL OF MOLINEUX.

INTENDED VICTIM OF THE POISO PACKAGE TESTIFIES.

Athletic Trainer Irritated by Searching Questions of the Attorneys. Defendant's Counsel Brings Out a Few Interesting Facts—Prosecution Introduces Medical Testimony.

IA. P. NIGHT REPORT.1 (A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—The forty-seventh day of the trial of Roland Molineux for the murder of Mrs. Katherins J. Adams opened with Harry Cornish again on the stand. The cross-exami-

ings.

Mr. Weeks commenced the cross-examplication of Corniss by frequiring about the hours of als return home from the Kaleks and the night of December 27, less armish acknowledged as was mistaken in previous testimony as to the hours. The line of the cross-questioning was soon shifted, Weeks apparently attempting to show that Cornish, after twenty years of caring for athletes, ought to know the taste of brometwenty years of caring for athletes, ought to know the taste of brome-seltzer. The witness was next compelled to run the gauntlet of questions regarding his relations with various members of the household of Mrs. Adams. Cornish testified he went to Chicago in 1893, and that his wife obtained a divorce from him in March, 1897. Under a severe cross-examina-

1897. Under a severe cross-examination he admitted that he knew a Mrs small; that she had died in 1894; that her real name was Mrs. Patterson; that he had sent the woman to a hospital before she died, and that he had paid the expense incurred in connection with her burial.

Cornigh was apparently irritated by

casuals who are ready to travel, will sail for Manila on the Tartar, which will set sail again about Saturday.

TO SPOIL THE CORNER.

Cornish was apparently irritated by the attorney for the defense, and finally retorted: "You ought to know all about that. The physician told your detectives all about it."

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The witness was closely questioned concerning his visit to the office of Mr. Yocum, whom Cornish styled his "best friend." He was asked as to the route that he took in going from Yocum's office uptown on December 23. This line of questioning was significant, as it developed the fact that Cornish passed the general postoffice and that he had thus been given the opportunity of mailing the poison package himself. Cornish never flinched, but acknowledged being in that vicinity on the afternoon of the day before he received the fatal package. Mr. Weeks next succeeded in making the witness acknowledge discrepancies concerning the time of the receipt of the bromo seltzer, also errors in his statements to the newspapers as to the manner in which he was dressed at the Adams apartments on the morning of the murder.

Weeks succeeded in getting the wit-

der.
Weeks succeeded in getting the witness to acknowledge that in 1897 he wore a white Alpine hat with a black band, but he denied wearing a hat of this character during 1898. These questions were regarded significant, chiefly because of the fact that a person wearing a hat of this description is known as have rented private letter boxes and have rented private letter boxes and eccived letters which have figured in

MADE MANIFEST.

Opening of the Great Drainage Canal.

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ewage of the Windy City Disposed of in a Manner Contrary to the Laws of Nature and the Wishes of Man, Yet Beneficially.

(A. P. DAY REPORT.]
CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—At 9 o'clock this morning water was turned into the drainage canal costing \$33,000,000 and began to flow toward Lockport, where it will fall into the Desplaines River and thence through the Illinois and Mississippi rivers to the guif. What is termed by the canal engineers the "collateral channel," has been for some time completed from the Chicago River in the southwestern part of the city to within fifteen feet of the main channel of the canal. This fifteen-foot wall of earth, with two sluice gates behind it, has been all that kept the IA. P. DAY REPORT. behind it, has been all that kept the Chicago River and Lake Michigan out of the channel. At 10 o'clock Monday night, a steam dredge began to cut away this wall of earth, and a few minutes before 9 o'clock today the water in the collateral channel was against the sluice gates and only a few inches of timber remained to be removed before Chicago was to realize her dream of years and see the great canal in actual organism.

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When the water began to back up against the sluice gates, the timbers were knocked away and the first water from the Chicago River ran into the anal. The engineers of the sanitary district have cut a chappel to carry 300,000 cubic feet of water amounts, the control of the canal is full of water amounts of a reservoir, and would tear away every bridge over the canal and wreck the controlling works at Lockport. Therefore, the water will be turned in gradually. Probably a week will elapse before the canal is full of water and is carrying away the sewage that now flows into the Chicago River.

An occasion that might have been made one of the most memorable in the

undertaken by any other State of multipality which, from its very inception, was designed to do so much for the navigable and commercial interest of the country as the Chicago Canai. The requirement of law which compelled the construction of rock sections to meet the demands of the next generation was wise, for it has laid the foundation of a mammoth ship canal, connecting the Great Lakes with the Mississippi River and the Gulf, and saving the sanitary district of Chicago and the Federal government the great expense that would in the future be necessary in rock excavation and blastnicipality which, from its very incep-tion, was designed to do so much for the navigable and commercial interest of the country as the Chicago Canal. The requirement of law which comand the Federal government the great expense that would in the future be necessary in rock excavation and blast-ing under the flowing water. The canal,

if confined by the law to the single re-quirement of disposing of Chicago's sewage, could have been constructed for from 112,000,000 to 114,000,000, as the sanitary district can justly claim to have expended at least \$20,000,000 in the lirection of the great rayingable water.

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The proceedings of Congress will show that in the last 100 years of petitions and demands for congressional appropriations for harbors and canals and public improvements, no petitioning city or community has contributed for purely commercial purposes 5 per cent. of the amount for which this sanitary district has contributed to the commercial waterway to connect the Great Lakes with the Gulf of Mexico.

As an engineering triumph, the

itary district has contributed to the commercial waterway to connect the Great Lakes with the Gulf of Mexico.

As an engineering triumph, the great interest in the Chicago canal lies in the fact that it disposes of the sewage of this city in a manner contrary to the laws of nature and contrary to the laws of nature and contrary to the laws of gravity. The common law of England from the days of the Conquest, when customs began to be moided into laws, and down to the present time, and, indeed, the laws and customs of the Latin races as well have recognized in the flowing streams of the land the natural outlet of the sewage of all populous communities. Were the city of Chicago situated upon the Illinois River, or were the entire area of the city even situated in the natural watershed of the Desplaines River, there would be no significance in the plans forever to turn the sewage of the city down the valley of the Desplaines and Illinois rivers, but the uniqueness of the canal plan is that it restores topographical conditions existing in prehistoric times—when the overflow waters, if, indeed, not all the waters of the Great Lake region flowed down the Mississippi Valley, by making a cut through the glacial drift and rock between Chicago and Lockport of an average depth of about thirty-five feet, in order to once more restore the gravity flow from Lake Michigan to the Desplaines and Illinois, walleys.

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Points of the News in Today's Times

[INDEX TO THE NEWS BUDGET :- Volume: Fresh A.P. Night Report and exclusive Times specials received by wire since dark last night, about 12 columns. Financial and Commercial, about 3 columns. Day Report (not so fresh) about 11 columns. Aggregate, 26 columns. The Index for telegraphic and local news refers to general classification, subject and page.]

The City-Pages 7, 8, 9, 10, 13, 16. Mayor's annual message....President of the Council dislikes billboards. Wolfsohn insurance case still unset-

Pacific Coast-Page 3. Bounteous and needed rains fall all be opened. In a letter to Assistant Becretary of War Melkidolon, the writer said that if the hemp now at the several ports of the hem now the hemp now at the several ports of the hemp now at the several ports of the hemp now at the several ports of the hem now at the hem now at the head searning at the several ports of the hem now at the head searning to the stands the hem now the hem no along the Coast Four cappers for quack doctors arrested at San Fran-

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Dutch Demoralized by Sudden Attack.

Britishers Make Prisoners at Sunnyside Camp.

Clearing a Way to the Help of Gen. Gatacre.

in Vicinity of Achterlang.

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While the Chicago River has been deepened and widened in order to increase its flow and capacity, the canal itself, properly specking, begins at the south branch of the Chicago River as Robey street and continues southward as an entirely artificial channel unit treaches the controling works at Lockport, a distance of twenty-eight miles, of entirely artificial channel widens as an entirely artificial channel widens and as an entirely artificial channel widens and as an entirely artificial channel widens as an entirely artificial channel widens and as an entirely

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An occasion that might have been made one of the most memorable in the eventful history of Chicago was allowed to pass by unimproved because the trustees of the sanitary district were intent on their one great aim, the opening of the canal. Aside from the trustees and the engineers of the board, there were less than a dosen spectators present.

Probably no public work has been undertaken by any other State or municipality which, from its very inception.

which French's plans were made, the remarkable mobility of his force, the completeness with which the enemy's camp was surprised, and the cleverness of maneuvering for working the horse at the completeness with which the enemy's camp was surprised, and the cleverness of maneuvering for working the horse at heavy enfilading shell fire could be brought to bear upon the Boers. The enemy was utterly demoralised by the unexpected attack and by the double fire, and were soon in full retreat, leaving guns and stores behind them. This account is exhilarating reading after the long series of costly frontal attacks without maneuvering.

The Times' correspondent reports the enemy's strength as from 50,000 to 70,000, but the figures are probably too large. French had cut off the retrest to the road bridge over Orange River, but the enemy was in line for the rafleway bridge at Norvals, which was the more important crossing.

Gatacre has given an official account of the spirited conduct of the Cape Mounted Rifles in the recent skirmishes near Dordrecht. All these episodes point with cumulative force to the same moral, that the only effective method of fighting the Boers is with mobile forces which can outmaneuver them and not be closely confined to a base of supplies and lines of communication. These three successes, while not in any degree decisive, have had a most inspiring effect upon the public here. There is, however, a deepening sense of anxiety respecting Ladysmith, whence the most disheartening reports of prevalence of sickness are received. White reported a list of nearly twenty deaths yesterday from enteric fever and dysentery, and seventy-one cases in the hospital. Jameson has all the work he can do in that fever nest. It is evident that the garrison cannot hold out long, and that Buller will not allow many days to pass before striking a second blow.

Transports with fresh battallons and batteries arrived at Durban yesterday, and within forty-eight hours Buller ought to be in readiness for a supremoeffort. The Boe

There are many dispatches of minor There are many dispatches of minor interest from Buller's camp this morning, but no details indicating the direction of the next attack. Scouting has evidently improved, for the Hussars. Thorneycroft's horse and other patrols are described as having brushes with the enemy.

The naval guns remain in constant practice, but the Boer guns are silent. The War Office has completed arrangements for the embarkation of 10,000 men of the Seventh Division dur-

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HOUSE SEATS CONTESTED.

SEEKS NO EMPTY HONORS.

CHICAGO WANTS MORE MONEY.

BRYAN CANNOT WIN.

the current issue of his magazine. .It

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by the citation of Clay and Blaine, that popular idols are not often elected President. The leaders of the party, it is explained, "realize this, but seem to choose defeat rather than encounter

hostility that is as unreasoning as it

vately, it is certain that their owners would not desire that their eligibility should be canvassed until the general question of leadership has first been settled. They are agreed that Mr. Bryan's renomination would mean a repetition of the disaster of 1896, and in worse form. It is for the party to choose between certain defeat and pos-

CHAIRS FOR HANNA. THREE ALREADY SET ASIDE.
[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]
CLEVELAND, Jan. 2.—According to
the Cleveland Leader, information received by it from a source second only
to President McKinley and Senator

Hanna, is to the effect that not only will Senator Hanna be the chairman

mittee, but he will be both temporary and permanent chairman of the Re-publican National Convention. Ils statement may perhaps oe explained

statement may perhaps oe explained upon the hypothesis, that such is the expressed wish of President McKinisy, and the President being the only candidate before the convention for the office, he holds, the delegates will cheerfully acquiesce.

The statement is made that the only question which has ever existed as to the continuation of Senator Hanna's leadership in the coming campaign, was that regarding his health. He has now announced his willingness to undertake the new task next year and the

of the next Republican National Cor

FRANKFORT, Jan. 2.-Papers

[WASHINGTON.] "OPEN DOOR" POLICY

SECRETARY HAY SECURES TRIUMPH FOR AMERICA.

topresentations Made to Europe Powers and to Japan Have Been the Means of Producing Answers
Satisfactory to This Country.

innouncement Made at the Meeting the Cabinet Yesterday—Very Grati-fying to the President and to the Department Chiefs.

ions for Pacific Slope People—I ogramme for the House Made Up. for Government of Hawaiian Islands—Roberts Case.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The session of the Cabinet today was brief, but it was the occasion of the announcement by Secretary of State Hay that the pseculations

responded is Italy, and a favorable awar is also expected from her.

The success of the negotiations was extremely gratifying to the President and the Cabinet, as it insures to America her full share in the development of the commerce with the great empire of China.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pensions were granted to Californians today as follows: Original—John S. Barium, East San José, 36: John Stokes, San Mateo, 38; William W. Mill, San Francisco, 38; Robert F. Patterson, Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles, 36. Increase—William P. Forchee, Boott River, 36 to 38. Original widows —Phebe A. Way, Oakland, 38. A pension was granted today to George W. Sines of Prescott, Ariz.

GOOD-ROAD APPROPRIATION.

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[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]
PITTSBURGH, Jan. 2.—The most

Interest, \$389,914,940; total, \$1,417,836,460.
This amount, however, does not include \$568,979,403 in certificates and treasury notes outstanding, which are offset by an equal amount of cash on hand.

The cash in the treasury is classified as follows: Gold, \$398,032,027; silver, \$497,200,739; paper, \$46,588,670; deposits in national-bank depositories, disbursing officer's balances, etc., \$88,184,605; total, \$1,048,006,041, against which there are demand liabilities outstanding amounting to \$764,410,588, which leaves a net cash balance on hand of \$233,590,453.

[A P. NIGHT REPORT.]
WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The Board
Naval Construction has recomof Naval Construction has recommended that the steamship Badger, lately the Yumire, shall be sold. The report of the inspectors shows that it will cost not less than \$250,000 to put the ship in condition for naval service, and as she cost only \$350,000 at the beginning of the war, it is decided to recommend to the Secretary of the Navy that she be sold. The ship is at Mare Island, Cal. RELIEVES THE BRITISH.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The Daily News commenting editorially upon the report abled from the United States that the

washington government has obtained the assent of most of the great powers to the principle of an "open door" in China, says:

"If this assent has really been obtained, gratification will nowhere be greater than it is in England, not only on account of the permanent importance of such a policy to British interests, but also because it relieves us temporarily from any anxiety as to the outbreak of complications in the

NAVAL HEROES OF SANTIAGO. PRESIDENT GIVES HEARING.

washington, Jan. 2.—The President has again taken up the question of rewarding the naval officers who participated in the destruction of Cervera's fleet off Santiago, and his final conclusions will be embodied shortly in recommendations to Congress, either in the form of a renewal of the advancement of Rear-Adminstrations. in the form of a renewal of the ava-vancement of Rear-Admiral Sampson and the officers under him by numbers, with perhaps some modifications—the scheme which the Senate refused to scheme which the Senate refused to some

with perhaps some modifications—the scheme which the Senate refused to ratify last spring—or according to some other method.

Preliminary to a decision on his course of action, the President and Secretary Long today had a consultation with eight of the Santiago captains at the White House. The naval officers present were Chadwick of the New York, Cook of the Brooklyn, Clark of the Oregon, Phillip (now rear-admiral) of the Texas, Evans of the Iowa, Higginson (now rear-admiral) of the Massachusetts, Folger of the New Orleans and Lieutenant-Commander Wainwright of the Gloucester.

Rear-Admiral Sampson was not present. These commanding officers were especially invited by the President, who desired to hear from their own lips the story of the battle of Santiago, the cruise of the flying squadron in search of Cervera's fleet and their own ideas as to the method of conferring rewards. The consensus of opinion of the naval officers, as developed at the conference, seemed to favor the method of reward recommended by Secretary Long—the conferring of medals which would carry with them a percentage of increase of pay, in lieu of advancement by numbers. This would compensate for ac-

them for inture series.

The Pre-Mant, sortly after the reconvening of Confress tomorrow, witransmit his recommendations. It is not improbable that in doing so he will accompany them by a special message, calling attention to the grave injustice which has been done to the commander-in-chief, officers and men of the Atlantic Squadron.

RECEIPTS AND EXPENSES.

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The con WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The comparative statement of the government receipts and expenses shows that for the month of December, 1899, the receipts were \$46,759,184, as against \$41,-64,793 for December, 1898. The expenses during last month were \$39,145,-559, as compared with \$41,684,807 for December, 1898, which leaves a surplus for last month of \$7,613,345, as against a deficit of \$460,014 for December, 1898.

NATIONAL BANK NOTES. CIRCULATION IS INCREASED. [A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

(A. P. NIGHT REFORT.)
WASHINGTON, January 2.—The
monthly circulation statement issued
by the Comptroller of the Currency
shows that at the close of business
December 30, 1899, the total circulation
of national bank notes was \$246,195,623,
an increase for the year of \$2,460,418,
and an increase for the month of \$2,438,575.

485,275.

The circulation, based on United States bonds, amounted to \$209,759,985, a decrease for the year of \$4,256,002, and an increase for the month of \$598,-083. The circulation secured by lawful money was \$36,485,638, an increase of \$8,718,230, for the year, and an increase of \$1,187,192 for the month. The amount of United States registered bonds on deposit to secure circulation notes was \$234,484,570, and to secure public deposits, \$75,097,830.

MINTS TOTAL COINAGE.

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.) WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The state WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The statement issued by the Director of the Mint shows that the total coinage executed by the mints of the United States during the calendar year ended December 30, 1599, was 3139,243,191, as follows: Gold, 311,344,290; silver, 328,661,519; minor coins, \$1,837,451. The coinage executed during December last amounted to \$9,711,884, as follows: Gold, \$7,489,962; silver, \$1,886,605; minor coins, \$355,327.

ARMY ORGANIZATION.

BILL PROJECTED FOR CONGRESS.

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Chairman Hull of the House Committee on Military Affairs says some measure of a general character relating to the organisation of the army probably will be presented at this session of Congress. He holds the view that conditions are too unsettled in the Philippines and elsewhere to say definitely as to the number of troops needed in a permanent organization, but is confident there never will be a reduction of the regular army back to 28,000.

There are several general features of army organization which Mr. Hull believes will be embodied in such legislation as is enacted. These include the three-battalions formation which was a marked departure inaugurated by the last act and has given general satisfaction. Another feature is that allowing the army to "expand from within't by increasing the numerical strength of the companies instead of creating new regiments. The staff organization of the army also is likely to receive attention. Secretary Root favors a change in the present system with a view to having a "detail staff," that is, staff bureaus recruited largely from the line of the army. This would be a marked departure as the present staff bureaus are almost entirely permanent. Among the military experts there is said to be considerable difference of opinion on this point, as the German, French and other continental military systems have permanent staff organizations. Great Britain is the only Eu-BILL PROJECTED FOR CONGRESS

WILL BE AGAINST ROBERTS. [A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)
WASHINGTON Jan. 2.—The report
of the committee of the House of Representatives which is investigating the
case of Roberts of Utah, will be made
soon after Congress reassembles, and
there is reason to believe that the majority report will commend that Roberts be excluded from the House, and

Jority report will commend that Roberts be excluded from the House, and be not permitted, under his credentials, to exercise any prims facie right of being sworn in. Whether the report will be unanimous is open to doubt, as three of the members of the committee are not counted on as positively favorable to the course indicated, and this may result in the submission of a minority report.

The minority view, if submitted, probably will deal with the prima facie right to be sworn in on credentials which are regular, and will recommend that Roberts be sworn in and thereafter be expelled.

The committe will resume its hearing Thursday, at 11, o'clock. The testimony is closed, however, Chairman Tayler of Ohio baving learned that the remaining witnesses in Utah will not come on. It is recommended, therefore, that Thursday will be given to Roberts for his argument. A vote is likely to follow, the latter part of the week. The chairman, it is expected, will be authorized to draw the report and present it to the House.

Mr. Tayler and Mr. McPherson of the committee were in conference to-day, examining law books and prece-

NO HOUSE PROGRAMME.

A WAIT ON COMMITTEES.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Speaker WASHINGTON. Jan. 2.—Speaker Henderson sald today that no exact programme of business in the House on the reassembling tomorrow and during the balance of the week had been made up. The Speaker and his associates on the Rules Committee expect early adjournments until appropriation bills and measures before other committees are ready for action by the House.

There is some prospect of a sharp controversy over the consideration of resolutions of inquiry relative to the Treasury Department.

GOVERNMENT FOR HAWAII.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The Senate WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The Senate Committee on Foreign Relations will meet tomorrow to consider the bill providing a government for the Hawaiian Islands. Senator Cullom, the author of the bill, said today that he hoped that it would be reported soon, and added that as soon as possible after the action of the committee, he would ask the Senate to take up the bill for consideration. So far as has been made known, there is no general opposition to the bill; though some of its features will be antagonized.

A few Senators were useing that the measure be amended so as to leave the customs laws applying to the islands as they now stand, and to omit the provision for a delegate in Congress for the present, because of the possible effect of this provision on the legislation in the interest of Puerto Rico and possibly in the interest of the Philippines, to say nothing of Cuba.

[POLITICAL.] WHIPPED INTO

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS NOMINEE ELECTED IN KENTUCKY.

Legislature Opens With Goebel in th Chair in the Senate and Trimble as Speaker in the House—Bolters Vote as Ordered.

Blackburn to Be Named to Succee United States Senator Lindsay-Gillespie to Participate in the Joint Caucus.

Senator Harrell Charges Anti-Goebel ites With Attempted Bribery-Col. Whallen, the Accused, Telegraphs Straight Denial,

[A. P. DAY REPORT.] FRANKFORT (Ky.,) Jan. 2.—Both houses of the Legislature organized to day at noon by electing the nominees of last night's Democratic caucus. In seventeen contested election cases, af-fecting seats of House members, have been filed with House Clerk Leigh. Two more may be filed tomorrow. Ten of the contestants are Democrats and seven of them Republicans. The result of these cases will have an important effect on the contests over Governor and Lieutenant-Governor. of last night's Democratic caucus. In the House, South Trimble for Speaker, received the full fifty-eight Democratic votes, and J. P. Haswell all of the forty-two Republican votes. For President pro tem. of the Sen-ate, Senator Goebel was elected. The

aucus nominees today.

HARRELL'S BRIBERY CHARGE.

caucus last night Senator Harrel made a statement in which he said h was approached shortly before Christ mas at his home in Russelville by a man who asked him if he could be persuaded to vote against Senator Goe made a statement in which he said he was approached shortly before Christmas at his home in Russelville by a man who asked him if he could be persuaded to vote against Senator Goebel. He told him he might and an apointment was made "to go to Louisville next morning and see John Whallen." Harrell then described his visit, saying he and a companion met Whallen in a room on Jefferson street. He continued:

len in a room on Jefferson street. He continued:

"After some preliminary conversation Whallen asked me what was my price for agreeing to stay out of the cancus, voteagainst Goebel, etc. I said I wanted \$5000. He replied that \$5000 was an outrageous price and suggested \$2500. I would not consent and gradually he raised the amount to \$4500."

Harrell says Whallen then went to the Fidelity Trust Company, after which the two went to the Louisville Trust Company, where a box was rented and money, four \$1000 bills and five \$100 bills, was deposited. Harrell continued:

five \$100 bills, was deposited. Harrell continued:

"Whallen then said to the vault clerk: "Now, let the doctor register the box in his name. We have gone into an agreement that he is to keep both keys, but he is not to open the box unless I am present. The number of the box is 559, as shown on the keys I turned over to the caucus."

Senator Harrell said when he reached Frankfort he was invited to a meeting of anti-Goebel men at the Fleming of anti-Goebel men at the Fleming for opposing Goebel was presented for signature by those present. He excused himself, however, and sattered the Democratic oaugus, where he made the charge of attempted bribery.

WHALLEN AT FRANKFORT.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

FRANKFORT, Jan. 2.—John H. Whallen, who is accused by Senator Harrell of having attempted to bribe him by offering him \$4500 to vote against Goebel in the gubernatorial contest, arrived here this afternoon, and gave bond in the sum of \$10,000. He was accompanied to the Sheriff's office by Gen. P. Watt Hardin and other anti-Goebel leaders.

His examining trial is set for 2 o'clock tomorrow afternoon, when his attorney will enter a plea against the Jurisdiction of the local court, claiming that the offense, if there is one, was committed in Louisville. The Louisville Trust Company officers refused to turn over to the authorities here the safety box in which the money is said to be deposited, and Judge Cantrill issued

of the Chicago platform, silver and Bryan—always Bryan.

McComas says at the outset that he, in common with others, has been deterred by a feeling of delicacy and by a desire to avoid giving offense from speaking the plain truth. Then he sets forth that the belief has grown up throughout the land that Bryan cannot lead to victory this year; that the party must remain divided while he is its leader.

The philosophy of that belief is dismissed with the reflection, illustrated

GOV. TAYLOR'S MESSAGE. thousand words, covering State affairs, and presenting elaborate reasons for the repeal of the Goebel election law, which he called "the infamy of 1898, that has demoralized, disturbed and disgraced the State." hostility that is as unreasoning as it is pitiless. Mr. Bryan is asked to sacrifice himself this time with the certainty of nomination and election four years hence."

The article concludes: "Discussion of the question of Mr. Bryan's successor would be premature. Though many names are being mentioned privately, it is certain that their owners would not desire that their eligibility."

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He recited at length how many citizens had been disfranchised, and claimed that even after the ballots were cast there was flustice in counting the same and making returns. He pointed out the great danger to the commonwealth of all the power at elections being vested in any one party, to the exclusion of all other parties The Governor recommends the new State capitol building, stringent laws against lynching, and all mobs, and the prohibition of the use as well as the sale of cigarettes.

WHALLEN WHES A DENIAL

WHALLEN WIRES A DENIAL. FRANKFORT, Jan. 2.—The Harrell FRANKFORT, Jan. 2.—The Harrell-Whallen alleged attempted bribery sensation, which disconcerted the anti-Goebel Democrats last night, was still the overshadowing feature on the political boards today. Col. Whallen telegraphed Commonwealth Attorney Franklin that he will arrive from Louisville this afternoon and surrender to the court. He telegraphed to his friends denying the charge brought against him by Senator Harrell. The Goebel leaders promise very sensational developments when the trial of Whallen comes on and also when the Legislative Committee goes to hearing evidence on the Gubernatorial contest.

BLACKBURN FOR SENATOR. BLACKBURN FOR SENATOR.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.] FRANKFORT (Ky.,) Jan. 2.-Afte four years of retirement, Joseph S C. Blackburn was chosen tonight by the joint caucus of the Democrati-members of the Legislature as the suc members of the Legislature as the successor of William Lindsay in the United States Senate. Notwithstanding Blackburn's nomination was a foregone conclusion, and his election morally certain, the proceedings of the caucus tonight were enacted in the presence of a galaxy of Kentucky beauty and a dense throng of Blackburn admirers.

The caucus convened at 8 o'clock, and was called to order by Senator Goebel, chairman of the joint caucus. There was a wild demonstration in the galleries when Goebel came into the hall before calling the caucus to order, and the cheering continued for several minutes. Senators Alexander and Hays, Democrats, and McConnell, Populist, stayed out of the caucus.

Blackburn was placed in nomination by Senator Goebel, who said that the longest and bitterest fight ever fought for Senator in this State which began four years ago (when Deboe defeated Blackburn) was about to reach its just termination. The State Capitol rang with cheers as he placed Blackburn in nomination. Senator Harris made a seconding speech, and was followed by other members, who culogized Blackburn, and congratulated the party on the union of all the Democratic members in feturning him to the Senate.

Senator Thomas asked that the roll-

MIXED MEETING'S FAVORS. [A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]
INDIANAPOLIS, Jan. 2.—The State

Sliver Republicans met today together

As a result of the conference the repesentatives of both organiza

was that regarding his health. He has now announced his willingness to un-dertake the new task next year and the President's wish in that respect is to be gratified. The same source of in-formation is authority for the state-ment that the delegates-at-large from Ohio to the Republican National Con-vention will be Senators Hanna and Foraker, Gov. Nash and Gen. Dick, chairman of the State Executive Com-mittee.

pledged themselves in favor of 16 to 1 and the renomination of Hon. W. J. Bryan. They also indorsed the Chicago platform and condemned the gold-standard policy of the Republican party.

EMIGRATION OF NEGROES.

be called so that every Democratic member might have an opportunity to go on record for Blackburn. Senators Alexander and Hays falled to respond to their names, otherwise the vote was unantmous. Goebel was applaud-dwhen he voted for Blackburn. After the ballot was announced, showing that Blackburn had received the vote of every member present, he was brought into the hall by a committee headed by Senator Triplett.

In his speech of acceptance Blackburn said that the State election, when purged of fraud, would show that every Democratic candidate for State offices had been fairly and honestly elected. He said he believed the Democratic won the fight in November, and he believed that a Democratic Legislature would not fall to carry the contests to a successful conclusion and give the State offices to the Democratic contestants.

NINE GROUNDS OF CONTEST. WASHINGTON OPPOSES BISHOI TURNER'S SCHEMES. [A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.]

TURNER'S ECHEMES.

[A.P. EARLY AM REPORT.]

MACON (Ga.,) Jan. 2.—Booker T.

Washington, the colored educationalist, spoke on "Emancipation" here today, opposing the emigration schemes of Hishop Turner. In part he said:

"The North does not contain all the good white people, nor are they any better friends to the negro than can be found in the South. For every negro that is sent to Liberia, a negro baby is born in the cotton belt, so that scheme is a failure. As we came to this country at the urgent solicitation and expense of the white man, we would be ungrateful to run away and leave him now, and we are not going to do it. I was asked the other day in New York what the negro can do to get his rights. I answered, 'Make himself useful.' His citizenship will be recognized and valued in proportion in which he is worthy. Industrial education is the key to the situation. The negro must keep pace with the progressive civilization.

"The negro must know how to apply their education. We have enough ministers and professional men for present."

A large number of white people were NINE GROUNDS OF CONTEST.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

FRANKFORT (Ky.,) Jan. 2.—The lotice of contest by Senator Goebel notice of contest by Senator Goebel and J. C. Beckham against Gov. Taylor and Lieut.-Gov. Marshall were served late this evening. Nine different grounds of contest are embraced in the notice. The notice avers that the grounds of the contest are sufficient to change the result of the election.

A large number of white people wer in the audience.

TRAINS RUN INTO SLIDES. OREGON EXPRESS DELAYED, BUT NO SERIOUS DAMAGE. [A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)
WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Senator Allen of Nebraska, in an interview tonight, authorized an absolute denial of ASHLAND (Or..) Jan. 2.-The nort ASHLAND (Or...) Jan. 2.—The north-bound Oregon overland express, due here at 2 o'clock this morning, ran into a mountain elide about 4 a.m., seven miles south of Ashland. The train was brought to a sudden stop, the engine being slightly thrown out of place, but no serious damage resulted. The passengers owe their escape from calamity to the low rate of speed.

The slide covers the track to the depth of four feet for a distance of about one hundred feet. All trains were delayed to 5 o'clock tonight. There was a heavy rainfail during the night. reports that he would be a candidate for the Presidency on the part of the fusion forces.
FINDS "ABUNDANT PROSPECTS."

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[A. P. NIGHT REFORT.]

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 2.—W. J. Bryan spent the day in St. Louis. He conferred with a committee from Ransom Post, G.A.R., and arranged to deliver an address in this city on the 15th inst. under the auspices of Ransom Post. His subject will be "Pending Problems."

Upon political subjects, Bryan had little to say. He believed that the opposition to the Republican party is growing in the East, and that the Democrats will enter the Presidential campaign this year with abundant prospects of success. He expects to go to New England in a short while, and make a few addresses there. ENGINEER HURT. (A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)
COLFAX. Jan. 2.—A train on the Ne col.FAX. Jan. I.—A train on the Nevada City and Grass Valley Railroad ran into a landsilde today, just as it was emerging from a tunnel, six miles from here. The engine and one car jumped the track. The engineer jumped, and was slightly injured. The damage to the train was small. ILLINOIS EXTRA SESSION.

BROOKS'S WILL.

IA. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.!
CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Mayor Harrison
will not ask Gov. Tanner to call an
extra session of the Legislature to authorize the city to issue bonds to relieve the financial stringency. CONTESTED BY DAUGHTER. CONTESTED BY DAUGHTER.

[A. P. NIGHT REFORT.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 2.—A contest has been entered to the will of the late Lafayette Brooks, the East Oakland capitalist. Mrs. Alice W. Wilkinson, daughter of Brooks by a former marriage, protests against the probate of the document filed as the will of her father, and asks that certain deeds conveying to the widow, Mrs. Mary P. Brooks, property in East Oakland valued at about 315,000, be canceled.

Mrs. Wilkinson declares that her father had been mentally incompetent for six years preceding his death, and that her step-mother took advantage of his infirmities to secure the bulk of the property. He today concluded that the better plan would be to mandamus County Clerk Knopf and take chances on the court compelling Knopf to give the city more money. DEMOCRATIC EDITOR'S OPINION
(B) DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) W. J. Bryap's renomination for President against President Mc-Kinley "means foregone disaster to his party." Is the conclusion of W. S. McComas, editor of a Democratic magazine published here. McComas's reasoning is contained in a signed article entitled "Breakers Ahead," which leads the current issue of his magazine.

MEXICAN PLEBISCITE.

SO FAR IT IS ALL IN FAVOR OF PUEBLA (Mex.,) Jan. 2.-The plei

PUEBLA (Mex.) Jan. 2.—The pieus scite taken for candidates for nomina tion for the President of the republi was participated in by the citizens generally, and although this is a stron Conservative city, a large majority of the votes favored the renomination of President Dias for the term. Similaresults were announced from the sur results were announced from the rounding towns.

IN HIS NATIVE STATE.

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

OAXACA (Mex.,) Jan. 2.—Great
thusiasm marked the plebiscite, for t is President Diax's native State and the stronghold of the Liberal party. The people voted en masse for his nomination as candidate for the Presi-dency during the term beginning next November

Christian Scientists Oppose Vaccina Christian Scientists Oppose Vaccination.

LEAD (S. D.,) Jan. 2.—Christian Scientists of Lead have rebelled against an order of the school board that children attending public schools must be vaccinated. The orders of the board are that each pupil after reasonable time must be vaccinated, or not attend. When school opens today the children of Christian Scientists will attend as usual, and if refused admission they threaten to take the case into court and see how much power the school board has in the matter.

Big Gas Well on Fire. PARKERSBURG (W. Va.,) Jan. 2.— The big Painter gas well, located in Kitchie county, accidentally caught fire last night, and all efforts to extin-guish the flames have been futile. Mil-lions upon millions of feet of gas are going to waste, and the financial loss will be enormous. The roar of the burning gas can be heard twelve miles, and the fire illuminates the whole sur-rounding country.

ounding country. Meat for Alaska,

Meat for Alaska,

SEATTLE, Jan. 2.—Seven tons of meat went north on the steamer Farallon which salled for Alaska tonight. The meat is being taken to Dawson by T. C. and Conrad McNamar of Forest Grove, Or. F. P. Freeman is taking four tons of oysters, shell fish and other delicacies. It is believed these consignments, which are expected to be in Dawson within six weeks, will relieve the meat famine.

Italian Poisons Himself. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2. — Peter Dolma, an Italian, 48 years of age, committed suicide in a lodging-house at No. 41i Pacific street tonight by taking strychnine. Dolma came to San Francisco from Angel's Camp about ten days ago, and it was his intention to go to Amador. The cause of his att is unknown.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—A special to the Times-Heraid from Indianapolis says that sensational developments have come up in Shelby county with the retirement of County Treasurer Wilson and the installation of Treasurer Long as his successor. All the books of the office for three years and six months prior to last June are missing. It is said \$125,000 is unaccounted for.

Treasurer's Books Missing.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Richard Croker of New York, who broke his leg yesterday near Wanlage, while mounting a horse, is reported this evening to be progress-ing favorably toward recovery.

"BLESSINGS TO CUBA." FOOD RECEIVES LAUDABLE EN

(A. P. NIGHT REPORTA

COMIUMS.

[A.P. NIGHT REPORT.]

HAVANA, Jan. 2.—[By West Indian Cable.] Gen. Wood had a busy day with the public officials and the members of the conference of representative Cubans, including Gens. Rabl. Lara, Sanguilly and Batancourt, and Señor De Castro. The conference will be in session three days.

After the secretaries were sworn in, they visited their respective offices to make themselves acquainted with certain details before meeting again for consultation. Gen. Wood believes each department should have power to do a very important work. He will appoint a commission to deal with each subject requiring, in his judgment, special consideration. These commissions will consist of several members, and their duty will be to get the affairs of the island upon a practical working basis of self-government. The most important commissions will deal with finance and the judiciary.

The former will arrange a plan of local taxation for all the cities of the island, which will make a majority of them self-supporting, and will leave the custom receipts for important public works, many of which are badly needed. The commission dealing with judicial reforms will include representative American and Cuban inwyers. It will take charge of the reorganisation of Cuban criminal jurisprudence, and will change the horrible prison system of the island, although many minor evils in connection with the prison maye aiready been abated. The commission dealing with public works will be scarcely less complete than the others, and will have its hands full.

MICHIGAN SCANDAL.

PROMINENT MEN DROP OUT

Grand Rapids nor Adjt.-Gen. Marsh of Allegan can be found tonight, and it is alleged they have left the State. Gen. White sent a letter to one of his associates saying he might not be heard from for several months, and asking that his business affairs be settled up. In the letter he protested his ignorance of any wrong-doing, but declared he was being made a scapegoat for others in the alleged crocked military deal, and could not hope to stand up under the burden.

The alleged crocked deal was the reputed sale of over \$50,000 worth of State property by the State Military Board to the "Illinois Supply Company" for \$10,000, and the alleged repurchase of the same by the Henderson-Ames Company of Kalamasoc for about \$50,000.

Gen. Bliss Dead.

CLIPPINGS FROM "LIFE." Teacher (to class.) What is an ac small boy (who has just conto take Latin, eagerly.) Please know, sir; it's an eight-sided

Mr. Close, Sr. What! More money? You seem to think that dollars are picked up in the street. I want you to understand that I had to work hard for every cent I've got. His Son. Yes; and I have to harder for every cent I get. "Now, George, to what class does the eagle belong?"
"Birds of prey."
"And the turkey, where do

"On the table," "When I visit my Fifth triends it is difficult to tell the from the heads of the house." "That's hard on the butlers."

I chose with care and had my picl In weight of silk and fancy stick, And, of the cover sizes, got The very smallest of the lot.

And now, with Gladys in the rain, The wisdom of my choice is plain; To keep from getting wet, you see, She has to walk so close to me.

"The Rev. Mr. Goodly was save from a horrible fate."
"How so?"
"He had willed his body after dea to a medical society, and now the new has arrived that he has been killed and eaten by cannibals." Oh, did I dream? Was it a visio

That swept before mine eyes and fled away? away? that wondrous store of pies and turkey, cakes and sweets galore, And cider, too, that erst with stealth; straw I from the barrel had been wont to draw, Now placed, with all the rest, that blissful day.

At my sweet will, with none to say me

Ah, woe is me! It was no vision rare From such delights that seized me un-noware. No dream is this, that fills my frame with woe, and in mine own apartments lays me low.
While bottles and prescriptions ranged "Did you have a good passage?" was isked of a recent traveler. "Fair; but I couldn't sleep. The

to bed, or to close the bed and the port hole. And the last th spent in reading the customs lav Orders are to Be Obeyed. [Philadelphia Inquirer:] A nan with a decidedly seedy noce entered the superintendent and placing his hand familiar

"Bose, can you gimme a job?"
"What department?"

fler Little—Training Ship A. Blown Ashore—Landslide of ats Have Rough Times in Harbor—Encinal Damaged





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[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]
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othing but rain and wind here

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AMEDA FARMERS PLEAS

(A. P. DAY REPORT.)

OAKLAND, Jan. 2.—The storm nues steadily throughout Ala ounty. The rain up to 10 o'clock forning amounted to 14.71 inche he season, as against 4.76 last see the farmers are generally please hough in some sections of the coney are compared to the coney are compared to the coney are compared to the coney are controlled to the county that plotted th

poods have occurred in any distress of the season's like the seaso

We will suppose you were a train that was running from City to Philadelphia; the engiould get killed and you would a place. You would find on his at the train had orders to take track for another train somein the woods where there was egraph office. Now, suppose ain did not arrive there for, say, hours, what would you do?"
It would be the affair of the tow, not mine."





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pects at Various Points-Ferryboats Have Rough Times in the Harbor-Encinal Damaged.

uting of Fruit—Cappers for Quack Doctors are Arrested—Chief Lees Retired on a Pension.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Rain has
see failing here steadily for the past
twenty-four hours, the precipitation beme about 1.50 inches for the storm.

The wind is blowing a gale all along
the coast. The Merchants' Exchange
reports that the velocity outside the
sade is sixty miles an hour. Shipming in the harbor will suffer but little
ample warning of the approach of
the storm was given and every premention was taken to prevent damage
we the storm.

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RICANE AT SACRAMENTO.

sing but rain and wind here since a yesterday. The rain has not been very heavy, but it has kept coming a steadily; and for a while today the d blew with hurricane effect. A plate-glass in Eagleson's show dow was broken, and the roof of srand stand at the Oak Park ball unds went flying. A few shade and amental trees were uprooted owing the mushy condition of the ground, ble all the rain, the river was fall this morphing. But will rise before the control of the ground is too soft cultivation.

DSLIDE AT MARE ISLAND.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

M.EJO, Jan. 2.—A serious landoccurred on the water front of
Island last night. As a result
tet of the sea wall slid into the
carrying with it tons of granite
cement and earth, and loosening
ly 100 feet more of the wall. The
is believed to be due to the fact
the heavy rain of the past few
has so filled the soil back of the
ment with water that the pressuld not be withstood. It is estithat the actual damage in
that the loss of the loss of

ALAMEDA FARMERS PLEASED.

us steadily throughout Alameda inty. The rain up to 10 o'clock this raing amounted to 14.71 inches for season, as against 4.76 last season. he farmers are generally pleased, al-cough in some sections of the county ley are crying out against too much in. The ground is now so wet in the terfor of the county that plowing ill be delayed some days. As yet no code have occurred in any district.

ROSPECTS BRIGHTENED. IA. P. DAY REPORT.]

PRESNO, Jan. 2.—The season's rainhall has been 4.80, and for the past
wenty-four hours .33 of an inch. Showare predicted for today and tosorrow. These showers, which have
courred at intervals since Sunday,
ave had the effect of dissipating a
season of heavy fogs and frost, which
ontinued for three weeks previous,
uring which a glimpse of the sun has
ot been had.
Agricultural prospects have neveran more promising. The conditions
the roads to the mountain districts [A. P. DAY REPORT.]

CONTINUED ALL DAY. [A. P. NIGHT REPORT.] [A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

FRESNO, Jan. 3.—A drizzling rain fell at intervals all yesterday and the indications are for a continuance. While the rain is not needed, it will do no damage further than delaying the planting of vines. Today's rainfall was .12, making 4.79 for the season. At a.m., it is raining hard.

WILL DO STOCKTON GOOD.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]
STOCKTON, Jan. 2.—Not in the
memory of the oldest inhabitant have
eople of San Jouquin county seen

memory of the oldest inhabitant have people of San Joaquin county seen such reculiar weather conditions as have prevailed in Stockton and vicinity during the past month. For at least three weeks of that time the sun did not break through the overhanging mist and for the greater part of the period the fog was so heavy as to amount to a continuously-falling dew. Unpaved streets became impassable and the approaches to the city were little less than seas of mud.

Last Friday rain began falling and by morning nearly half an inch had fallen and the weather seemed about to clear off. Sunday, however it clouded up again and though it has been disagreeably cold for three weeks the temperature rose several degrees. Monday there was more rain and today a furious, warm wind is blowing from the south, the rain falling in sheets at times. The belief here is that the wind will bring with it the biggest storm of the season or clear the weather off entirely.

There has been some high water, and it is expected that more will follow this storm. As yet, however, no danger is apprehended. While the weather prevents plowing and seeding, it is expected that the summer-fallowed crops will be the heaviest in years and the soaking the ground is getting now is expected to be productive of much good next season.

PROSPECTS ARE FOR MORE.

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STOCKTON, Jan. 2.—Rain has been STOCKTON, Jan. 2.—Rain has been falling lightly today, but only 11 of an inch fell up to 4 o'clock p.m. Strong south wind, presaging a big storm, blew last night, and tonight the rain is coming down hard, with prospects of continuing. So far the fall this month is .70 of an inch, making 9.07 inches for the season, against 4.08 last year at this time. Streams are not half full hereabout.

SAN JOSEANS JUBILANT.

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.] SAN JOSE, Jan. 2.—There have been alternations of heavy winds and rain all day. The Los Gatos Creek is boom-

deg. at Carson.

e rain is not very heavy in the
h, but they will probably feel the
at Los Angeles We'nesday.
rainfall up to this morning in
fity was 11.92 inches, which is the
st amount up to that date, with
streeptions. In 1890 the rain up to
by 2 was 24.90 inches, and in 1896

12 inches.

way through the town of Shasta. The
Bieber stage could not leave this morning.
The Weaverville stage proceeded
only as far as Grizzly Gulch, a distance
of fitteen miles. Reports from all over
the country show that the creeks are
unfordable. The total rainfall measures 24.80 inches, against 8.10 of even
date last season.

HEAVY AT SANTA ROSA.

SANTA ROSA, Jan. 2.—The New Year as been ushered in by one of the eaviest storms known in Sonoma heaviest storms known in Sonoma county for several years. Almost three inches of rain has fallen during last night and today alone, and the record for the previous night was 1.57 inches. Many small bridges are under water, but so far no serious results are reported. The precipitation for the present storm, which began Friday evening, to 6 o'clock this morning, was 4.69 inches, making the total for the season 18.40 inches. At the similar date last year the precipitation amounted to 5.68 inches.

SANTA CRUZ'S RECORD. ta. P. NIGHT REPORT.1
SANTA CRUZ, Jan. 2.—The heavy santa CRUZ, Jan. 2.—The heavy rain continues. For twenty-four hours preceding 7 a.m. today the rainfall was 1.57 inches. At Boulder Creek 3.16 linches fell in twenty-four hours. The San Lorenzo River is higher than at any other time during the present winter. The bay was very rough today, breakers dashing over the ends of the wharves.

RIVER RISING AT NAPA. IA. P. NIGHT REPORT. NAPA, Jan. 2.-The river is still rising rapidly. The rainfall at 7 a.m. was 1.22 inches. For the season, 14.55 inches. RAILROAD WORK DELAYED.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. hronicle tomorrow will say that the empletion of the Santa Fé system to completion of the Santa Fé system to Point Richmond by March 1 is now almost out of the question. Heavy rains have so softened the ground, and in places covered the earth with water that track building cannot be prosecuted near Bay Point and Point Richmond, where some long fills were planned. The work would have been finished as expected had it not been for the delay of eastern manufacturers in filling contracts for bridge materials.

PETER S. WILKES DEAD.

VETERAN OF CONFEDERACY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After a lingering illness of several months. Peter S. Wilkes, one of the oldest attorneys in this city and a man with guite a history reserved. VETERAN OF CONFEDERACY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Jan. 2.—(Exclusive Dispatch.) After a lingering illness of several months, Peter S. Wilkes, one of the oldest attorneys in this city and a man with quite a history, passed away today. At one time he was a member of the Confederate Congress and a personal friend of Jefferson Davis. He was born in Tennessee, but went to Missouri, where he was raised.

Mento county. Mrs. Talmadge charges her husband with cruelty and says that he is worth \$500,000 and has an income of \$40,000 a year. She asks that her interests in her husband's property be determined by the court and that a receiver be appointed. She also wants alimony.

The couple were married in Reno, New. March 12 last, in order to avoid trouble for the violation of the California law forbidding the marriage of divorced people within this State within the state w

When the rebellion broke out, he induced many to enlist, and became a private himself. Although he was generally called "Col." Wilkes, he would never accept promotion, preferring to remain in the ranks, as he wished to avoid any appearance of personal ambition.

personal ambition.

After the close of the war he went to Mazatian, Mex., and later came to Stockton, where he formed a law partnership with Judge Joseph H. Budd, father of ex-Gov. Budd, and later became associated with David S. Terry. under the firm name of Terry, Carr and

Wilkes was 72 years of age, and although he acquired considerable wealth through his marriage, he lost it in the financial collapse, which wrecked many people in this city. The deceased leaves a widow and a brother, Elder L. B. Wilkes of Christian Church

ROUTING OF FRUITS. RAILROAD OFFICIAL EXPLAINS

IA. P. DAY REPORT.1 letin publishes the folowing statement made by a local railroad official re-garding the alleged refusal of the South-ern Pacific and Santa Fe railroads to permit shippers of citrus fruits to route their products to eastern cities as they see fit:

"The ralifoads that are interested in handling the citrus-fruit traffic in interstate business, have not now and never did have a tariff in which the interstate business, have not now and never did have a tariff in which the shipper was given the unrestricted right to route his fruit to eastern markets. In a spirit of accommodation the railtoads have heretofore accepted the shippers' routing as their routing.

"Experience has shown that such arrangement is not converient or equitable, for if the carrier contracts to transport freight safely between two points it certainly has the right to say how such freight shall move to its destination. The railways, therefore, January 1, concluded to directly assume the right of handling citrus fruits between two specified points as per their contract without restraint. Or, in other words, the present condition is not modified, and has in no way changed past practice, except the carriers have considered it inexpedient to longer accept shippers' routings as their routing, but rather to assume the right to which any fairminded person will agree, that if a contract is made to transport freight between two points, the parties so contracting have an absolute right to control all the means by which the contract can be fulfilled.

"There has been no change in the freight rates. The people can reach the same markets under exactly the same conditions as heretofore. The only privilege the carriers have assumed in the premises has been to withdraw from accepting the shippers' routings as their own."

FERRYBOAT MISHAPS DAMAGED AT ALAMEDA MOLE.

Encinal had a rough experience at Ala-meda mole this morning, owing to the unusually rough weather on the bay. The Encinal arrived at the mole about 19:50 o'clock, made her landing and maybe a half-dozen passengers had gone on the ferry slip when the boat gave a great lurch and broke her apron. The bow of the steamer was somewhat damaged by the collision.

It was impossible to land the remaining passengers, and the boat backed out of the slip and proceeded to the brond-gauge mole. The passengers on the narrow-gauge train for San Francisco had to return to Oakland and go by the broad-gauge route.

PALIC ON THE OAKLAND.

fall up to midinght is 1.17 inches, the heaviest of the season.

REDDING HAS ENOUGH.

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

REDDING, Jan. 2.—Owing to the heavy rains of the past few days the streams in this region are raging torrents. Much damage is sure to result unless the rain ceases. The Sacramento River has risen fifteen feet this afternoon at Redding and was continuing to rise rapidly The eastern approach to the free bridge is covered with varying depths of water for a distance of 150 yards. The last crossing with safety was made this afternoon. The Reid ferry connecting Redding with the "old-diggings" district is closed on account of high water. The Keswick road, where it skirts the river for a couple of miles, is inundated with water and impassable.

The Principal Keswick stages have been taken off until the river recedes. Traffic between Redding and Keswick is carried on only by a round-about way through the town of Shasta. The Bieber stage could not leave this morning of fifteen miles. Reports from all over deed. Baggage and passengers were piled in confusion and for a short way through the town of Shasta. The Bieber stage could not leave this morning of fifteen miles. Reports from all over down.

CRIEF LEES OUT.

CHIEF LEES OUT.

RETIRED ON A PENSION.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The reign of I. W. Lees as Chief of the San Franty ven will cisco police department is at an end and Robert J. Tobin, one of the Police Commissioners, will rule as head of the city's guardians until the new commis-sion shall name Chief Lees's succes-

This is the result of a special meeting This is the result of a special meeting of the Police Commission held today. Chief Lees and fourteen other members of the force applied for retirement on pensions and the applications were granted. Chief Lees was granted a pension of \$2000 a year.

Chief Lees is now 69 years of age. He was first appointed to the police force October 26, 1853. In the following July he was made captain of detectives and upon the resignation of Chief Crowley, a few years ago, became Chief of Police.

HANNAN HELD. ATTACK ON WARRANT FAILS.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.-J. 31. Hannan, charged with murder in Pennsylvania, was today remanded to the stody of the police by Judge Cook, He sought to escape from custody upon a writ of habeas corpus and attacked the warrant upon which he was ar-rested, as illegal and void, in that it rested, as illegal and void, in that it was issued upon the information and belief of a local police officer.

Judge Cook refused to take this view of the situation. Two officers have come here from Pittsburgh to take charge of Hannan. They are in daily expectation of extradition papers for the prisoner and intend, as soon as the documents are received, to hurry Hannan back to Pittsburgh.

WIFE CHARGES CRUELTY. MRS. TALMADGE SEEKS DIVORCE

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Mrs. Minnie E. Talmadge has commenced divorce proceedings against her hus-band, C. V. Talmadge, a wealthy rancher of Trask's Landing, Sacra-mento county. Mrs. Talmadge charges

REMOVAL OF ESPEE OFFICES.

CROCKER UNINFORMED OF IT.
[A. P. DAY REPORT.] A. P. DAY REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—George
Crocker was seen today in regard to
the report that the headquarters of the
Southern Pacific were to be transferred to New York. He said: "I can tell you most emphatically that I know nothing about it. That is all I can say

I know nothing about it."

The rumors arose from the fact that seven of the eleven directors, including seven of the eleven directors, including C. P. Huntington and Thomas H. Hubbard, live in New York. Both Huntington and Kruttschnitt are now in New York and are there for the purpose of attending a meeting of the directors during the week. If it is decided to transfer the headquarters, this matter will probably come up before the neeting. There will also be two directors elected in the place of R. Wilson and C. G. Lathrop, who has resigned.

CAPPERS FOR QUACKS.

FOUR ARRESTED FOR VAGRANCY. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.- The po lice of this city have arrested James Herold, a bunco man known as "Ar-kansas," J. Anderson, J. W. Morgan and C. Price. The men are charged and C. Price. The men are charged with vagrancy, but more serious charges may be preferred against them. The men came here from Los Angeles, where, until recently, they acted as "cappers" for a couple of medical practitioners who conducted a questionable business, and who were compelled to leave the Angel City.

The doctors came to this city, but so far the police have been unable to catch them doing anything illegitimate, but the "cappers" have been put out of harm's way for the time being.

DELVING FOR QUICKBILVER. [A. P. DAY REPORT.] SAN JOSE, Jan. 2.—The Silver Creek Mining Company, which was recently organized here, has entered actively into the development of an old quick-silver mine on Silver Creek. Thirty present high prices have caused the or-ganization of the new company, and a renewal of work. A new smelter will

BUBONIC PLAGUE SCARE. DEATHS START IT AFRESH.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The steamer Australia which arrived from Honolulu this afternoon, reports the death of a white girl at Honolulu Dember 22 and two Chinese were found cember 22 and two Chinese were found dead in the Chinese quarter on Christmas day. These fatalities started the plague scare again and every precaution was being taken to stamp out the disease when the boat left.

The Australia only brought one steerage passenger. On account of the plague the agents of the vessel refused to carry any of the half-hundred people who wanted to come to San Francisco second class.

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THE BRUNES SUED.

MUCH RANCH LAND INVOLVED.
[A P. NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Clarence B. Brune, the actor, and his wife, Minhie Tittle Brune, were sued today by Edward Byrne for the recovery of a ranch of 83,000 acres in Durango, Mex., valued at \$25,000. which Brune exchanged in 1896 for 150 shares of the Moscow National Bank of Moscow, Idaho. Brune was the cashler and one of the directors of this bank and represented that the shares were worth \$140 each. Byrne says, but in fact they were worthless as the bank was insolvent. The stock was placed in escrew for Byrne, but he has refused to receive it.

WENDELD MINISTER OF ACK.

CONTRACTORS PLEAD GUILTY.
[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—James Campbell and Thomas Pettus pleaded guilty in the United States District Court today to a violation of the Federal statute which forbids the working the bastile, even the dark hole where eral statute which forbids the working the bastile, even the dark hole where they put helinous malefactors. He said eral statute which forbids the working of men more than eight hours a day on government contracts. Campbell and Pettus are contractors for the construction of a naval training school on Goat Island. They were arrested at the instance of the local council of Federated Trades. The extreme penalty for the offense charged is a \$1000 fine or six months' imprisonment. Judge De Haven will impose sentence tomorrow.

LINDEY DISAPPEARS.

ONCE SUED FOR THOUSANDS.
[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

LIVERMORE, Jan. 2.—Much surprise has been caused here by the sudden disappearance of George W. L'index, a young business man, who gained that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to gard that the two men were-on their way to san bernardino. but he wanted the strong arm of the law to reach out and bring them back. The desk clerk calmity today, swear out a complaint tell his troubles to the detectives, and the motion to intercept and cause the return of his whilom orchestra.

Jack Johnson recently served a sentence of ninety days in the City Jall for embezzling a lot of goods from a Vernon grocer. Johnson drove a delivery wagon for the grocer. He sold a load of goods, got drunk on the proceeds, and then got into jall, where he acted as trusty in the Receiving Hospital.

ien disappearance of George W. L'ndey, a young business man, who gained much notoriety, several years ago, by suing for the estate of Goerge M. Kasson, a wealthy Stockton land-owner.

CHICAGO COMPANIES TO FORM A CONSOLIDATION. son, a wealthy Stockton land-owner.

Lindey's claim on the Kasson estate
was based on an alleged relationship.
He said he was Kasson's son, cast off
when an infant and raised by Thomas
Lindey and wife. As the estate was
worth about \$200,000, there was a bitter fight in the Stockton courts, which
was ended by Mrs. Kasson coming
from the East and repudiating her alleged son. Before leaving Livermore
Lindey disposed of his business.

Boardman Denies the Breach.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The trial of the suit of Mrs. Elizabeth Gladstone to recover \$100,000 damages from Joseph Boardman for breach of promise begun in Judge Hunt's court this afternoon. Boardman is a wealthy resident of Oakland. He denies that he made a Unknown Woman's Body Found. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—The bad-ly-decomposed body of an unknown woman was washed ashore today near Point Richmond. The features could not be distinguished, but the clothing indicated that the deceased had been in good circumstances.

O'Neil's Friends Fear Foul Play. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Several months ago Frank O'Nell left his home on Sanchez street in this city and has not since returned, though he only started for a stroll. One letter, dated Portland, Or., has been received from him, but his friends fear that he has met with foul play.

Montgomery Bros.

We are closing out our Umbrellas-

At a Quarter Less than their marked price

\$16 ones are \$12. \$12 ones are \$9.

And they are as fine ones in construction, finish and looks as we could

All kinds of handles for all kinds of people, but one kind of covering—the best silk.

Douglas Blk. Third and Spring.

DR.PIERCE'S GOLDEN DISCOVERY BLOOD LIVER LUNGS.



SUTHERLAND SISTERS Hair Grower and Scalp Cleane Are the only preparations that will reste the hair to its original healthy condition At all druggists.

M'CRARY'S ORCHESTRA

IT SKIPPED OUT WITH A BOR-George McCrary, proprietor of a temple of Baechus at the northwest corner of First and Los Angeles streets, is mourning, and will not be comforted except by the arrest and punishment of two migratory hobos who, he alleges, have played him a scurvy trick. The cause of the saloon man's woe, as told by himself, is as follows:

door and disappeared with the borrowed mandolin.

With the hypnotic spell of the music gone, McCrary awoke to a realizing sense of his obligations to the barber. The thought that he would certainly have to pay for that mandolin gave him palpitation of the heart. He called at the Police Station with his tale of woe, and wanted his ungrateful orchestra.

the consolidation of the business of the four firms, said: "We have consolidated to fight the trust which is forming. Representatives of a brokerage firm have been to us and other milk dealers in the city proposing the formation of the trust. So far as I know, they have included 90 per cent. of the dealers in the city. The options secured expire March 13."

It is said the principal interest in the consolidation will be held by the Borden Milk Company of New York.

FOR LOW CAR FARE.

MILWAUKEE ORDINANCE PASSES DESPITE INJUNCTIONS. [A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

the fact that the injunctions were hanging over the heads of the Mayor, nance into a law, that measure, over

nance into a law, that measure, over which there has been a lively fight for several weeks past, was finally passed by the Common Council at this evening's session by a vote of 25 to 1, and sixteen members refused to vote. The ordinance was immediately signed by Mayor Rose.

Further legal proceedings are expected. The street railway company will probably issue tickets at once in accordance with the provisions of the ordinance, which call for the sale of twenty-five tickets for \$1, good for certain hours morning and evening, until 1905, after which time a 4-cent fare will rule all day. The street-railway company's present franchise and certain other new ones are extended to 1934.

50 Cent Ties

-- We honestly think we can give you a better tie for 50c = than you can get most any-where else. If most folks didn't think as we do, we wouldn't sell so many.

Mullen, Bluett & Co., &

Cloaks, Suits, Skirts, Petticoats, Waists, etc., At Auction Today.

The stock of the Parisian Cloak and Suit Co. has been placed in my hands to sell, without reserve.

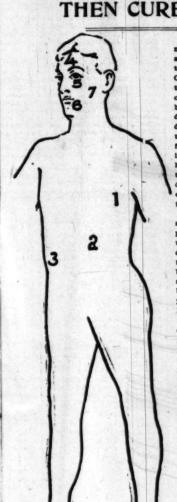
I will hold auction sales every afternoon at 2 o'clock until the entire stock has been disposed

Goods will be sold at private sale throughout the day.

Thos. B. Clark, Auctioneer 216 South Broadway, Nearly Opposite Ville de Paris.

your loss of appetite your loss of strength your paleness your emaciation your nervousness

STUDY THE NUMBERS! THEN CURE YOURSELF!



mon to many men and women, young and old. Observe figure 1. It locates the heart, THE MOST IMPORTANT of the system. All the blood in one's body must pass through the heart hun-dreds of times each day. The heart is a heart. For such weakness one should take Hudyan Hudyan builds up the lelicate heart structures; also stre Look at figure 2, which points out the

stomach. The duty of the sign prepare the food so that it may be taken do this the little glands in the stomach a passive state, when indigestion and bloating of the stomach results. Hudyan relieves such condition at once, for indyan strengthens there. Torpor We go to figure 3, the liver. Torpor

plexions, coated tongues, loss of appe-tite. Hudyan stimulates the liver to perfect activity, and diverts the bile om the blood into its proper cha Hudyan creates bright, rosy comrve center, where all imp received. When the heart is weak or bests irregularly, then too much or too little blood is sent to the brain, and

headaches result. Congestion or as Hudyan Hudyan brings prompt relief to persons who suffer with dull or throb-When they are sunken, when they have dark rings under them that gives one a

quickly takes away the haggard expre We come to figure 6, a coated tongue. Hudyan relieves this condition bec

circulation due to the fur

Lastly we have figure 7. the face. Paleness, emaciation, a sallow complet wan, haggard look, is promptly replaced by a bright, rosy complexion by Hudyan. Hudyan gives a general glow of health. Hudyan gives one strength, energy, health, for Hudyan tones those important organs whose perfect activity is essential to health. Get Hudyan from your druggist—50c a package, six packages for \$2.50. If your druggist does not keep-it, send direct to the Hudyan Remedy Co., cor. Stockton, Ellis and Market streets, San Francisco, Calif.

You may consult the Hudyan doctors about your case-free of

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dous shaking-up of the War Office and headquarters.

The sailing of a small German cruiser for Delagoa Bay is the only official sign of displeasure at Berlin caused by the seizure of the Bundesrath. The liner has arrived at Durban, and probably a case for detention can be made out on the ground of contraband of war, but the details of the cargo are withheld for the prise court. There is excitement at Lisbon over the rigorous enforcement of the right of search, and the French journals are in high feather over England's difficulties in appeasing German resentment. Buckmall, one of the principal owners of the steamer, recently seized with breadstuffs, declines to give any explanation of the alleged dealings with the Boers. Gibson Bowles is on the warpath chamoring for the repudiation of the Declaration of Paris, so that all property belonging to the enemy, even gold buillon, when it is apported from a neutral port, can be selsed under any flag. All existing difficulties would have been averted if the Britstin ministers years ago had allowed Kruger to purchase Delagoa Bay.

FORCES WORKED ADMIRABLY.

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[A P. DAY REPORT.]

LONDON, Jan. 2.—A dispatch from the Associated Press representative at Dover farm, dated January 1, says:

"A mounted force, consisting of 100 Canadians of the Toronto Company, and 200 Queenslanders, commanded by Col. Rickards, two guns and a horse bettery under Maj. De Rougemont, forty mounted infantry under Lieut. Ryan, and 200 of the Cornwall Light Infantry, the whole commanded by Col. Pilcher, left Belmont yesterday at noon on a march westward, covering twenty miles before sunset. The force encamped at Cook's farm, where the troops were welcomed enthusiastically.

"At 6 o'clock this morning the force approached a spot where a leager of Boers was reported. Col. Pilcher, on approaching the position, which was a line of strong kopies, detached Maj. De Rougemont with the guns, Torontos and mounted infantry, to work toward the right, making a turning movement himself, with the Queenslanders, toward the south of the position. The maneuver was a complete success. The British shells were the first indication of the presence of the troops. The Boers left their leager and

rist indication of the presence of the rroops. The Boers left their laager and pened fire, but the Queenslanders ompleting the movement, the laager was captured, with forty prisoners. The British casualties were two men tilled, three wounded and one missing. "The whole force worked admirably. he two men killed belonged to the lucenslanders."

(A. P. NIGHT REPORT.)

MONT (Cape Colony,) Monday BELMONT (Cape Colony.) Monday, an. 1.—Another dispatch from Doverarm, dated January 1, says that see colonial troops, who have been niging to be allowed to meet the oers, have at last been given an opertunity to do so, and scored a brillant success. The raid conducted by oil. Pilcher was very difficult, owing the fact that the movements of set troops were immediately communisted to the Boers by natives. In orser to prevent this, Col. Pilcher, in der to prevent this, Col. Pilcher, in making his forced march from Bel-mont, left a British trooper at every farmbouse, with instructions not to al-

sent patrols east. One of these, con-sisting of four men, commanded by Lieut. Adie, suddenly encountered fourteen Boers who opened fire. The lieutenant was severely wounded and

order to carry the lieutenant out of range.

Another private, whose horse had boited, plucklly returned to render assistance. He was wounded in the leg and his horse was killed. Meanwhile Lieut. Ryan, who had worked magnificently, reported that the veldt on the right of the enemy was clear, whereupon Maj. De Rougemont ordered the guns to a trot. They arrived within 1500 yards of the laager, unlimbered and planted five shells in as many minutes within the laager. Immediately the enemy could be seen streaming over the kopje. They were completely surprised, but opened a well-directed fire.

fire.

A representative of the Associated Press had the privilege of carrying an order to the Toronto company at double-quick into action. The order was received with great satisfaction. The

PILCHER OCCUPIES DOUGLASS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

DOUGLASS (Cape Colony,) Jan. 2.—

CLAIMS AGAINST PORTUGAL. NO AWARD FOR SOME TIME.

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.-A special to

SIX OFFICERS WOUNDED. PRETORIA, Jan. 1.—Three British prisoners who were taken at Malagro say that Capt. Wilson, husband of Lady Sarah Wilson, and five other officers whose names they refuse to give were wounded in a recent sortie from Mafeking.

LOOKING TO AMERICA. LOOKING TO AMERICA.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

BRUSSELS, Jan. 2.—Senator De
Jeane, formerly Minister of Justice and
now member of the Council of State,
former Senator La Fontaine and other
leading members of the Universal
League of Peace have convoked a
meeting to be held next Thursday in
favor of appealing to the United States
government to offer to mediate in the
South African war.

OFFICIAL TALES OF RECENT ENGAGEMENTS.

GEN. FRENCH AND COL. PILCHER REPORT THEIR SUCCESSES.

ward Achterlang—Capture of Nor-valspont Bridge Would Enable a Demonstration Against Bethulie Bridge, the Line of Boer Retreat.

command at the Sunnyside laager this day, January 1, taking the laager and forty prisoners, besides the killed and wounded. Our casualties are two privates killed and Lieut. Adie wounded. Am encamped at Dover Farm, twenty miles northwest of Belmont and ten miles from Sunnyside."

The success of Gen. French's column is at length confirmed officially, the War Office this afternoon issuing a dispatch from Cape Town, dated Monday, January 1, as follows:
"French reports at 2 p.m. today from

day, January 1, as follows:

"French reports at 2 p.m. today from Coleskop, by heliograph, as follows:

"Leaving at Rensburg, holding the enemy in front, half of the First Suffolks and a section of the Royal Horse Artillery, I started thence at 5 in the afternoon, December 31, taking with me fivesquadrons of cavalry, half of the Second Berks and eighty mounted infantry, infantry carried in wagons, and ten guns. I halted for four hours at Maidor's Farm, and at 3:30 this morning occupied the kopje overlooking and Maidor's Farm, and at 3:30 this morning occupied the kopje overlooking and westward of Coleaberg. The enemy's outposts were taken completely by surprise. At daylight we shelled the laager and enfiladed the right of the enemy's position. The artillery fire in reply was hot from a fifteen-pounder, using royal laboratory ammunition, and other guns.

"We silenced the guns on the enemy's right flank, demonstrating with cavalry and guns to the north of Coleabarg, toward the junction, where a ströng laager of the enemy was holding a hill position southeast of Coles-

Colesbarg, toward the junction, where a strong langer of the enemy was holding a hill position southeast of Colesberg, as far as the junction.

"'Our position cuts the line of retreat by the road and bridge. Some thousands of Boers with two guns are reported to be retiring toward Norvalspont. All Remington scouts proceeded toward Achteriang yesterday morning. Slight casualties; about three killed, few wounded details later."

Brite's independent messages from Rensburg, filed the evening of January 1, supplement Gen. French's dispatch but slightly. According to these, the British were still shelling the Boer position at 5 o'clock Monday evening, and expected to enter Colesberg today. The British losses were three men killed and seven wounded. The Boers are supposed to have suffered heavily from the accuracy of the British artillery fire.

the accuracy of the British artillery, fire.

Gen. French's statement that the Boers were using a fifteen-pounder and Woolwich ammunition evidently refers to one of the British guns captured at Stormberg. The Boers' strength in the engagement with Gen. French was estimated at from 5000 to 7000 men.

While the afternoon papers are disposed to overrate the brilliancy of Gen. French's success, it will doubtless have a good moral effect, and, if promptly followed up, as seems likely from the fact that Remington's guides are already advancing on Achterland, it may result in capturing Norvalspont bridge, thus gaining an important strategic advantage, as then Gen. French will probably be able to threaten Bethulle bridge, which is the main line of retreat for the Boers facing Gen. Gataere.

Other official dispatches, dated January 1, say Gen. Methuen's position is unchanged.

Sir Charles Howard Vincent, colonel

hat the number of cases of dysenter; and fever is increasing. GERMAN CRUISER LEAVES.

[A. P. DAY REPORT.]

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—The German second-class cruiser Schwälbe has left Dar-Ez-Salaam, a scaport of Africa, twenty-five miles mouth of Zanzibar, for Lorenzo Marquez.

BOER SARCASM PLASHED BY A HELIOGRAPH.

BRITISH ARE ASKED WHAT GEN BULLER HAS DONE.

When Her Majesty's Forces Inquire How the Burghers Like Lyddite Shells the Latter Answer in the Language of the Prophet, "Rata."

FRERE CAMP, Jan. 1 .- (By South African Cable.] The Boers inquired by beliograph today: "Why is Roberts coming? What has Builer done?" The British replied: "How did you like our Lyddite in the late battle?"

TUGELA RIVER FORDARLE. anuary 1, from Frere Camp: "The weather is fine. The Tugela River is now fordable. Gen. Buller's army is in time form, ready and confident for the

COMPLIMENTS THE TRANSVAAL PRETORIA, Jan. 1.—Last night (Sur

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]
DUBLIN, Jan. 2.—Extra precautions have been adopted by the military authorities here. The constabulary has been fully armed. The sentries from sundown to morning have been increased at the barracks. Patrois march around, and all leaves of absence are suspended.

SEIZED AMERICAN GOODS. THE GOVERNMENT PROTESTS.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.1 WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—The Stat ssador Choate at London, by cable, a tement of the facts which have deoped in connection with the seizur British warships of American good

instructions to Ambassador Choate were not a demand for the release of the goods, nor yet for indemnity, but rather a precautionary notice to the British government to save all of our rights in the case. It will be sufficient to initiate the settlement of the mat-

SMALL MERCIES RECEIVED WITH GRATITUDE.

MAIN OUESTION RISES ON THE NEXT TUGELA BATTLE.

Shall Be Defeated Again One Hundred Thousand More Men Will Re Needed to Keep the Dutch in Order in Cape Colony.

[A. P. NIGHT REPORT.] LONDON, Jan. 3, 4:45 a.m.—[By Atlantic Cable.] The morning papers are unanimous in praising the gallantry of the Canadian and cold roops. The Times says: "The nother country will share with the Canadians and Australians in the pride and gratification they must feel at the fine qualities displayed by their troops in this dashing little engage-

ment."

The Standard says: "The Canadians and Australians had been spoiling for a fight. Now they have had their opportunity and have greatly distinguished themselves by their coolness and discipline. From the view point of imperial unity, the little fight may fairly be described as one of the most gratifying events recorded in the recent history of the British race."

Although the continuance of minor successes gratifies the British public. Gen. Gatacre.

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Sir Charles Howard Vincent, colonel of the Westminster Volunteers, has failed to pass the medical examination necessary to qualify him to command the City of London Infantry in the division bound for South Africa. The command of this corps must, therefore, be given to another. Harry McCalmon, Abn. appraman, has been ordered to South Africa. The Spondent, who was captured cutside of Ladysmith and imprisoned at Pretoria, has been released and has arrived at Lorenzo Marquez.

Sir William Thomson has been appointed consulting surgeon to the British race."

Although the continuance of minor (Jenkins) 14 to 5, third; time 1:17%. Grand Sachem, Hattie Fox, William F, Florence Fink, Charles Lebel, Reginald Hughes and Cipriano alas ran.

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minished, it will be a matter of great relief for the British campaign."

The Standard remarks: "Until the Tugela has been crossed and-Lady smith relieved, it would be idle to deny that the present position in Cap Colony is one of very great danger, and if, unhappily, Gen. Buller is again defeated, it will be necessary to dispatch 160,000 additional men to keep the Dutch in order."

Winston Churchill's estimate 'hat 50,000 men will be required to defeat the forces of the two republics, nas been ridiculed in many quarters, but, as a matter of fact, this number is already almost reached, without the extra 100,000 which the Standard foresees might be required.

Yesterday, the admiralty chartered eight more transports. When all the troops destined for South Africa Join those already there, Lord Roberts will be in command of about two hundred thousand men. Thirty thousand are now afloat or ready to embark. Military observers, in view of what these figures mean, cannot see how the British can fall to crush the Boers by mere force of numbers.

BABINGTON CO-OPERATED.

BABINGTON CO-OPERATED. MODDER RIVER, Jan. 2.—Yester-day's expedition under Gen. Babington, commanding the Ninth and Twelfth Lancers, proved to have been in co-operation with a similar movement from Belmont. This, directed by Gen. Wood, consisted of a flying column and a force under Lieut.-Col. Pilcher from Belmont. This force moved into the territory between the Orange and Rietrivers. At Sunnyside, northwest of Douglass, it encountered a commandow which is believed to be wholly composed of disloyal British subjects.

Gen. Babington's force proceeded in the same direction, but on the north side of Riet River. The result of this reconnoissance has not yet been reported.

QUESTION OF DEFENSE.

makes the following statement this morning:

"We understand that the Defense Committee of the Cabinet, after careful consideration of the question of the defense of the empire, particularly with regard to artillery, will shortly call for the expenditure of £5,00,000 to make good deficiencies and to place the nation on a par with other great powers.

HOSPITAL FOR YEOMANRY.

dency of the committee.

The government has accepted the services of twelve battalions of militia for foreign stations. Seven of these are assigned to South Africa.

SEIZURE OF BUNDESRATEL

SHIP DIRECTOR SUMMONED. [A. P. DAY REPORT.]
HAMBURG, Jan. 2.—[By Atlant

PROTEST FROM ENGLAND. A. P. NIGHT REPORT.!

LONDON, Jan. 2.—The Berlin correspondent of the Standard says that the British representative at Berne has lodged a protest with the Swiss government, calling attention to the fact that the recruiting for the Transvaal is in progress in Swiss territory.

MURDERED AND MUTILATED. OLD NEGRO WOMAN CHARGED

[A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.] CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—A special to the Chronicle from Birmingham, Ala., says the mutilated remains of Mrs. been inflicted by an ax. All portions of the body had been partially burned, and it was with difficulty that the identity of the dead woman was es-tablished.

identity of the dead woman was established.

The smoldering ashes of a spent fire in a near-by thicket showed that after the woman had been murdered her body had been cut to pieces and heaped upon a pile of brushwood, which was then lighted, but the fire failed to accomplish fis work and the remains were then cast into the ditch and covered with leaves.

Suspicion pointed to an oid negro woman who had formerly worked for Mrs. Jones, and she was arrested and placed at jail at Butler. As an incentive for the crime, it is suggested that the alleged murderess was discharged by her former mistress a few days ago.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Results at Tanforan Park. The weather was

at Tanforan Park. The weather was rainy and track sloppy.

Five and a half furlongs: Wallenstein, 109 (Spencer.) 8 to 5, won; Rachel C, 109 (Thorpe,) 4 to 1, second: Florinel III, 110 (Conley.) 5 to 1, third: time 1:09%. Prestome, Sisquoc, The Bufroon, Sam Dannebaum, Giro and Winyah also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Good Hope, 105 (Ross.) 6 to 1, won; Maud Ferguson, 104 (Jenkins.) 13 to 5, second; Jennie Reid, 104 (Hill.) 8 to 1, third; time 1:16%. Mike Rice and Pat Murphy also ran. Racivan and Rio Chico were left. Seven furlongs, selling; White Fern, 106 (Jones.) 6 to 1, won; Monda, 110 (Henry.) 10 to 1, second; O'Connor, 108 (Walsh.) 12 to 1, third; time 1:30%. El Estro, Sardonic, Benamela, Dolore, Gien Ann and Rohalbra also ran. Five and one-half furlongs, selling: Antoinetta, 105 (Jenkins.) 9 to 5, won; Mandamus. 107 (Jones.) 11 to 5, second; Tizona, 109 (Vittitoe.) 12 to 1, third; time 1:10. Aborigine, Zelska and Devereaux also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Vassal, 112 (Spencer.) 3 to 1, won; Isaline. 39 (J. Martin.) 40 to 1, second; Nora Ives. 104 (Jenkins.) 14 to 5, third; time 1:17%. Grand Sachem, Hattie Fox, William F, Florence Fink, Charles Lebel, Reginald Hughes and Cipriano also ran. One mile: Malay, 106 (Vittitoe.) 6 to

CALL IT "BUFFALO."

SIGNAL FOR "KID" M'COY'S KNOCKOUT BLOW.

ootball Tactics Introduced into the Prize Ring by the Conqueror of of Numbers Used.

When the Irish Lad Began to Show Signs of Weakness the Seconds and Him the Tip.

Reputation as a Bad Actor Sustained. lamlin Buys Direct Hall from

communication with his seconds during the progress of the contest. The plan resembles that used in football signaling, except that words instead of numbers are used.

At a critical moment yesterday, when Maher began to show signs of weakness, McCoy's seconds began cailing out the word "Buffalo." McCoy did not respond at once, but a moment later, when his brother Homer Selby called out "Buffalo," he went in and landed the knock-out blow.

Straight coaching from corners is not allowed, but McCoy's scheme is devised to keep within the rules, and at the same time keep his opponent in ignorance of the move suggested.

IN HEAVYWEIGHT CLASS.

IN HEAVYWEIGHT CLASS. [BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Distalked with Maher, Bob Fitzsimmons and Tom O'Rourke, manager for Tom Sharkey. He told Maher that he could have another chance if he wanted it. He says that he asked Fitzsimmons for a fight, and was promised one. Fitzsimmons confirmed the statement later, but would not say what had been

HIGH-PRICED YOUNGSTER.

HAMLIN BUYS DIRECT HALL. has bought from his trainer, E. F. Geers, the black 4-year-old pacing colt, Direct Hall, for \$10,000. This is Jennie Jones were found in a ditch probably the largest sum ever paid near Rosser, Choctaw county. The arms and legs had been hewn from the trunk with an ax, and the head had been severed with a knife, a bruise the trunk with a had been severed with a knife, a bruise the trunk with a knife a bruise the trunk which with the trunk with a knife a bruise the trunk with a knife When he went to California in 1834 with the horses of C. J. Hamlin, he took along with him his pacing mare, took along with him his pacing mare, 2:04½, that Geers had campaigned a few years before.

While in California, he bred his mare to Hal Pointer's old rival, the black stallion, Direct, 2:05½, and she foaled in 1896, the colt now known as Direct Hall.

HE'S A BAD ACTOR.

ELKINS CANNOT RUN AGAIN. [A. P. NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 2.—Elkins's NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 2.—Elkins's reputation as a bad actor compelled the stewards to order him scratched in the betting in the first race today, and the fact that the horse was left at the post fully sustained the wisdom of their action. The horse's entry will be refused in the future. The racing was none of the best, and not a favorite landed. The weather was clear and cool, and the track was heavy.

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Mile, selling: Towanda won, Yuba Dam second, Judge Quigley third; time 1:47%.

Mile and one-sixteenth, selling: Sir Fitzhugh won, Jode E. second, Sadie Burnsam third; time 1:53%.

Mile and an eighth, selling: Jimp won, Our Nellie second, Klondike Queen third; time 2:00.

Six and one-half furlongs: Strangest won, Water Crest second, Durango third; time 1:24.

Seven furlongs: Flying Bess won,

ST. LOUIS DARKENED.

INCANDESCENT LIGHTS ALL (A. P. EARLY A.M. REPORT.)

LOUIS, Jan. 2.—As prognosti

ago the incandescent lamps in use by the city were turned off at midnight last night owing to the expiration of the contract with the Missouri-Edison Electric Company. For the first time in the history of St. Louis, the public institutions, the parks and the alleys within the district between Washington avenue and Keokuk street were dark, except for a few tailow candles, gas lights and coaloil lamps. No arrangement has been made for a continuance of the service. The street corners are still lighted by are lights, these being furnished by the Missouri-Edison Company under another contract. ago the incandescent lamps in use b

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Apprehension over impending dismissal from the force so preyed upon the mind of Policeman Louis G. Meredith that he fired three bullets at his forchend, but only one had any material effect.

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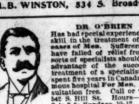


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valley people offered amendm amendment; the bill was cons standing committees, in joint tee, in committees of the whole Freat detail in the two hous General Assembly of that te of the people in November, 1890, and it of within its area 180 square mil. The popular impression the area it is practically co-extent the limits of the city of Chicalirely erroneous. As a matter he sanitary district comprisour square miles in Cloero and the city is on the city is on the city of Chicalirely erroneous. As a matter he sanitary district comprison which are not within the city is on and the city of Chicago her hand, comprises fifty lies in Hyds. the limits of the city of Chica tirely erroneous. As a matter the sanitary district comprise the sanitary district comprise four square miles in Cleero an four square miles in Cleero an four square miles in Cleero an which are not within the city eago, and the city of Chicago ether hand, comprises fifty miles in Hyde Park, Lake, I and Jefferson, which are no the sanitary district. Cons while the city of Chicago con square miles and the sanitary list square miles and the sanitary list square miles in which the community of interest as affect two municipalities. Every freely admits that the entire Chicago should have been mad off the sanitary district at the ning, but this was not done a not be done without addition to the done without addition by the General Assem the popular error that the two lating by the conduct to go the conduct of the legal municipal proble of the comprises all of the city Eighty-seventh street, toget some forty-three square miles sounty outside of the city limit will be directly benefited by provement. The population of Chicago in 1890, according Federal census, was 1,090,850, equalized assessed valuation estate and other property subtantion in the Sanitary District year 1898 was \$218,299,977, bein one-tenth of the real value.

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very heavy foundation, and the upstream leaf is so placed as to present the barrier to the water. This structure is operated by admitting water through properly-constructed conduits, controlled by valves beneath the leaves just described. To raise the creek of the dam, water is admitted from the upstream side and the discharge shut off until the desired height is obtained, and then the valves are adjusted so that the volume of water beneath the leaves shall be constant. To lower the creek, the water beneath the leaves is frawn off until the desired height is reached, when the valves are again arranged so as to maintain a constant volume of water.

The first work in this great enterprise was begun on "Shovel day," September 3, 1892, on the rock cut below Lemont, on the line between Cook and will counties, so that a little over seven years have been consumed in the entire work, involving an outlay of about 12,000,000. Over 50 per cent. of the entire work, involving an outlay of about 12,000,000. The contraction was reduced about 18,000,000. Indeed, the board of trustees and its engineers are unanimous in the belief that the work could not now be duplicated under existing prices, for both labor and material, for less than \$40,000,000. Up to the present time, and, indeed, the past fifteen years, the entire cost of the Chicago River, has, as a matter of fact, been flowing down the Desplaines Valley and into the fillnois and Mississippi rivers. That the citizens of the Mississippi Valley are ignorant of this fact—as 59 per cent. of them certainly are—makes it sone the less a fact; and furthermore, all this time this sewage has been in a highly offensive condition, for it has passed down the fillnois and Michigan canal, into which it was dumped by the Bridgeport pumping works from the south fork of the south tranch, in a volume of only about feet per minute, or nearly eight times the flow in the past, and, by the rapid process of exudation that takes place in surging and flowing water, this

armiess even before the city of Jones reminent chemists and bacteriologists is correct.

Later on, say in six or seven months, when the system of intercepting sewers now in process of construction by the dity of Chicago is completed, an approximate of 4200 cubic feet per minute of sewage, which is now flowing into take Michigan, will be diverted into the Chicago River and the canal, so as increase by the addition of 6000 feet a minute of sewage the amount now going down the Illinois River. Consequently, it is said it will be several months after the opening of the canal before any one can complain of receiving a single ounce of Chicago sewage additional to that which has for years been flowing down the valley; and, reduced to a plain statement of facts, according to one of the trustes, the only complaint which the valley towns can now make against the eming of the canal is that it will immediately benefit their present condition by a water dilution of seven and such all times the volume of sewage new diverted down the valley.

The canal has been constructed in strict conformity with the requirements of the law under which the sanitary district of Chicago was organized, and it is of sufficient size and capacity to produce and maintain a continuous flow of at least 300,000 cubic feet of water is of the minimum depth of twenty-two feet in the earth sections of the canal, and the same depth throughout the rock sections. The rock sections and five of the earth sections of the canals; consequently the only work then remaining to be done to fullill the recuirements of the law and the necessities of the increasing population will be the mere work of shoveling and dredging to deepen and widen eight miles of the earth sections to conform with the rock sections.

The plan of the Chicago canal can hardly be said to be the conception of any one man. It has been a growth, a development, and many men can justly.

hardly be said to be the conception of any one man. It has been a growth, a development, and many men can justly lay claim to having played a prominent part in this great public work. The Herring commission, under the first Mayor Harrison, made definite recommendations for the disposal of Chicago's sewage by this method. Later on, a joint commission was appointed by the General Assembly of Illinois to sit between sessions and formulate a fill for discussion by the Thirty-first General Assembly. This commission in January, 1889, presented to the General Assembly. This commission in January, 1889, presented to the General Assembly at Springfield a bill drawn under its direction, and suggestion by John P. Wilson of Chicago, which became the groundwork for the present Sanitary District Act. The valley people offered amendment after amendment; the bill was considered in standing committees, in committees of the whole, and in treat detail in the two houses of the General Assembly of that year, and finally enacted into a law full of compromises and concessions. The sanitary district was organized, under the requirements of law, by an affirmative vote of the people within the district in November, 1890, and it comprises within its area 182 square miles.

The popular impression that in its area it is practically co-extensive with the limits of the city of Chicago is furtilely erroneous. As a matter of act, the sanitary district comprises forty-bur square miles in Cloreo and Lyons, which are not within the city of Chicago, on the ther hand, comprises fifty square miles in which are not within the city of Chicago, on the sanitary district. Consequently, while the city of Chicago contains 188 square miles and the sanitary district its square miles in which are not within the combined area of the two ninety-four square miles in which there is no community of interest as affecting the two municipalities. Every one now fall selection that the entire city of Chicago should have been made a part of the sanitary district of Chic

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1900.

The Trustees may levy and collect taxes for carrying on the work entrusted to them to the extent of one-half of 1 per cent. of the value of the taxable property within the corporate limits of the district, as the same shall be assessed and equalized for State and county taxes of the year in which the levy is made, and by amendment passed by the Thirty-ninth General Assembly of Illinois, in 1835, this power was increased to 1½ per cent. for a period of three years, beginning with the year 1896. Subsequently, it appearing that the district would not have sufficient funds to complete the work, the Trustees procured the passage of an act by the General Assembly in 1837 extending the levy of 1½ per cent. for two years more, or until and including the year 1899. They may issue bonds to the extent of 5 per cent. of the value of the taxable property of the district, as determined by the last assessment for State and county taxes previous to the issue or said bonds; provided, however, that said 5 per cent. shall not exceed the sum of \$15,000,000. Under this authority, the district has already issued \$13,900,000 being 3½ per cent. bonds, and \$390,000 being 3½ per cent. bonds, running from one to twenty years, except the 3½ per cent. bonds, which run for 20 years from date; of the others one-twentieth of the issue must be paid off and retired sach year, and \$2,00,000 have aiready been retired, leaving \$10,790,000 now outstanding.

Additional bonds to the amount of \$430,000 will be retired January 1, 1900. The bonds have been sold at an average premium of about 11-10 per cent. The taxes afford a revenue sufficient to pay the interest on those bonds, to pay off and retire one-twentieth of the issue each year, and leave a surplus to apply upon the obligations of the district incurred for construction.

WOMEN STUDENTS.

THEIR WORK AT THE GERMAN

UNIVERSITIES.

[The Literary Digest:] An important contribution to the solution of one of the leading phases of the "woman question" is furnished by the experience of the German universities that have been in recent years admitting women as "hospilants," or visitors. If woman can satisfy the demands of German universities, it is fair to presume that the question of her capacity for higher education has been practically settled.

Miss Kathe Windcheld, the head of the Woman's College in Leipsic, and the first woman to receive the degree of Ph.D. in course from a German university (Heldelberg, 1894,) delivered an address by special invitation at the Christian Social Congress held at Kiel. After sketching the history of the agitation in behalf of the admission of women into German universities, she thus stated the results of the tests so far made:
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women into German universities, ane thus stated the results of the tests so far made:

"Have the German women shown themselves in character and mental capacity able to meet the demands that such a career can make upon them? A most pronounced answer in the affirmative can be given. The testimony of those university teachers who have admitted women to their lecture courses is absolutely unanimous in this regard. Only a few weeks ago the entire medical faculty of the University of Halle united in a public expression of their conviction that women are fully capable of doing the work in their department. The specter of 'masculine women' and of 'emancipated women' is rapidly evaporating in university circles in view of the fact that women are working enthusiantically and successfully by the side of their brothers in the various university departments. In this regard there are at hand a goodly worker of testimonals from men who the side of their brothers in the various university departments. In this regard there are at hand a goodly number of testimonials from men who were originally opposed to the higher education of women, but who have been converted by their experience. The friends of this cause enter most hopefully and sanguinely into the coming twentieth century, feeling assured that it will bring them final and full success."

AN AFGHAN TO THE BOERS.

WELL BE TAKEN TO HEART.
[The Witness:] There is something very suggestive in what an Afghan, resident in the Transvaal, said to some Boers, who were boasting of their capacity to thrash the British. 'We urcountry,' he said. 'You people do not. Sometimes we have a little trouble, and they send a few men and we wipe them out. A little time goes on and they send another lot, and we wipe they send another lot, and we wipe they send another lot, and we wipe them out, and yet again we wipe out another lot, and we say we have finished with them. All the time the English have a little book putting it all down. Then they add it up and come to us with a great force and show us a little account, and say "Pay," and we have to pay."

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"You have had Laing's Neck," continued the Afghan; 'it's down in the little book. Majuba Hill—that's down in the little book. And that ameson raid, that is down in the little book and, and it's all added up now, and you've got to pay. Oh, we know these English. The Afghan, says the Glassigow Mail, is right. Britain is long-suffering. She is by no means anxious for war, and there are States, such as the Transvaal, that either presume on her love of peace or who interpret it as fear of war, and who take leave to scout the distant power; but all the time the little book is being faithfully kept, the credit and debit accounts are being balanced, and when the time is ripe the presumptuous States have to pay. So the Transvaal is experiencing today; only, it is costing a lot to collect the account.

MEN AND WOMEN.

(Baltimore American:) Potter Palmer was born a Quaker farmer in New York State, and grew up to early manhood as a keeper of horses and cattle, and a tilier of the soil.

The State Capitol Commissioners of Gen. John W. Denver, at 58 years of Gen. John W. Denver's Again and John W. Denver's Again and John W. Denver's Least of the birth of Gen. Miss Edith J. Griswold of New York, is the only woman at present to be found in the ranks of the patent law for several years, and is said to have met with a very fair measure of success.

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Queen Victoria, who expends every year about \$1500 on toys for her numerous juvenile descendants and the children of her leading court officials, has given explicit instructions that no war toys are to be included in these gifts this year.

Rev. Dr. Norman Macleod, in being elected moderator of the Church of Scotland, presents an example of how easily an elective officer can become hereditary. He is the third of his name, and the fifth of his family t ohold his present position.

Booth Tarkington, the newspaper man, whose novel "A Gentleman from Indiana," is having considerable success, is a graduate of Princeton, class of "33, and, oddly though, was known among his friends at college as "The Gentleman from Indiana."

Lieut. Bayford of the Eighteenth Hussars, who escaped capture when the majority of his command was taken, is the son of a prominent Q.C.

an dwas a well-known oarsman. His family is the only one which has furnished an oar to the University of Cambridge eight for three generations. Texas appears to want William Jennings Bryan to become a citizen of the State and to be willing to pay for it. Judge Walker of Austin originated the movement, and already the gife of one of the finest houses in Austin has been offered to Mr. Bryan as a home. No answer has yet been received from the great silver advocate.

Many of the nurses who went to South Africa with the Canadian troops are members of well-known families in the Dominion. The head nurse, for example, is the youngest sister of Joseph Pope, Under Secretary of State. She has been a nurse in at least three United States hospitals. Another of the Canadian nurses is a daughter of Judge Forbes, of Halifax.

MUSIC.

New Orleans is patronizing liberally the third season of French opera under the management of F. Charley. Among the artists engaged are M. Vianesi, formerly first leader of the orchestra of the Grand Opera at Paris, the Covent Garden in London and the Metropolitan in New York; Mme. Lina Pacary, soprano; M. Bonnard and M. Gasset, tenors, from Theatre Royal de la Monnaie of Brussels; Mme. Clement, M. Bouxmann, M. Layolle and Mme. Savine, who have sung in the municipal theaters of Nantes, Nice and Marseilles, and Mme. Etta Madier de Monijau, late of the Royal Theater at Amsterdam and the Carl Rosa Opera Company.

upon the Abbé Prevost's story "Manon Lescaut."

Henry Krehbiel, writing in the New York Tribune of the opening of the opera season, wastes but few words over the opera, "Romeo et Juliette," or over the admirable singing of Mme. Eames, Edouard de Resske and M. Plancon, who are artists aiready well known to the New York public.

"What remains, then, to be done," he says, "is to put down the impression made by the singing and acting of the one newcomer, M. Alvarez—the Romeo of the occasion. Let there be a truce to comparisons: and just now if the amusing stories of the newspaper reporters are to be believed, they tend to crimination and bloodshed. Better that nine and ninety tenors should be exalted than that one should perish. M. Alvarez is a robustitudinous singer. There were times last night when it seemed as if his ideals in singing were those which inspired the storied Irishman who played the fiddle by main strength. An ecstacy of love, while it may lead an operatic hero, as it frequently leads real men, into eccentricities of behavior, must not lead him into tonal regions other than those in which his orchestral companions are moving. Romeo must not sing out of tune in New York even if Boston loves him. It is sad to be compelled to say so, but facts are inexorable things, and whether or not a singer sings in tune is a question of fact, and not of judgment or taste. Let attention be given to the fact that M. Alvarez has a beautiful and ample tenor voice, which it is easy to imagine will prove to be more than ordinarily puissant in roles filled with ruder passions than those of Romeo even when he is trying to kill him who was 'more than Prince of Cats'—though it was in this scene last night that he rose to commendable, even to most admirable, heights. Moreover, he is an excellent and impassioned actor."

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Their glances are cast at your overdrawn style;
They notice your crystallized gall,
And say to each other, with half eneering smile;

"He's so Your collars are worn so exceedingly high
They leave a red streak on your chin,
The smile you imagine is pleasant as

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Is more like a simian grin.

This old world would never keel over a bit
If you from its surface should fall,
So think not that you are exclusive

You are some, my dear boy, but not all. Your clothes may be swell and as snug in their fit.

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man.
You go on display with an Anglofied swing.
You talk with an Anglofied drawl.
But please bear in mind you are not the whole thing—
You are some, my dear boy, but not all.

will.
Come down off the vanity perch;
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"THE VALLEY FARM," BY CONSTABLE,

that it resented any departures, but it is needless to say that great art is not so evolved.

Early in his career Constable had had his pictures rejected by the hanging committee of the Royal Academy. He felt the injustice bitterly and on one occasion he took a despised canvas to the president of the institution asking him frankly, if he could, to tell the reason of the refusal and to give him advice as to what to do. West received him cordially and examined the work carefully; at length he said: "Don't to be discouraged, young man; we shall hear of you again; you must have loved nature very much before you could have painted this." Constable was much encouraged by this, naturally, but for many years, although he had better luck with the hanging committees, his pictures came regularly-back to him unsold, and had it not been for a few private patrons, particularly one stanch supporter, Archbishop Fisher, he would have had a sorry time. As it was, to make both ends meethe made copies of portraits for rich people who desired duplicates, and occasionally he received a commission for an original portrait. Constable was tall, of fine figure and possessed of great strength. About the country he was known as "the handsome miller," a name that has clung to him even now these many years after his death. He excelled in feats of strength and was generally of the fine, physical, manly type of Englishman. There came, however, into his life an affair that was to cause him great anxiety and for a time to impair this splendid health and power. It was the old story, and the woman in the case was a Miss Bicknell; she eventually became his wife, but the course of true love in this case was unusually rough. Her father, and in particular a rich uncle, violently opposed the union, for, and with justice, they thought such a match at that time quite imprudent. It was the occasion of many a heartburn, and Constable's mother was most interested in her son's love affairs. Many letters passed between the sweethearts, formal, dignified epis

gresident. Constable continued meanwhile at his landscape work, and from
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Mrs. Robert J. Burdette addresses the Shakespeare Club on state feder ation yesterday, in the interest of which a delegate and mass meetin will be held in Los Angeles Januar 16, 17, 18. In the course of her address Mrs. Burdette said: "Club life, as wifind it today, is an evolution, from

VENTURA TUESDAY CLUB.
The Ventura Tuesday Club met Friday afternoon, December 29, at the residence of Mrs. S. M. Wineman. In lieu of the paper assigned for the afternoon to Mrs. F. W. Baker on the Trojan war, she read a very interesting article on the same. The following six questions were asked on the article, to be answered by the club at the next regular meeting: What was the date of the Trojan war? What was Troy? What was the cause of the Trojan war? Who was the leader of the Greeks? How was the city taken? Who was the founder of the Roman empire? The article was followed by the reading and study of King Lear.

COUNTY PIONEERS.

TELL STORIES OF THE EARLY The Pioneers of Los Angeles met in Caledonia Hall last evening. The following-named persons were elected members: L. M. Anderson, Robert L. Garrett, Mrs. Abble Hiller, A. Vignolo, W. H. Pilkington and Henry F. Fleishman. Applications were received from Edward H. Owens, Erskins M.

from Edward H. Owens, Erskine M. Ross, A. W. Edleman and Mrs. C. Johansen. William H. Workman gave some remwilliam H, workman gave some rel iniscences of the holiday seasons early times. New Year's day was the olden time a festive day. Ever body kept open house, and turnish liquid refreshments, and the calls when he had gone the rounds, did n care for more than one such holiday the year. The first Christmas celebr tion held in Los Angeles, where Christmas tree bloomed, was in 18 Dr. Carter, an Englishman, who lived where the McDonald Block now stands, was the master of ceremonies. It was something unheard of in Los Angeles before that night. Christmas, 1841, was famous for a great flood. The family of Andrew Boule was about the only one on the east side of the river. They were to dine with Don Mateo Keller, but the flood had cut off all communication with the city, and their larder was empty. A Sonoran servant volunteered to swim the river and procure supplies. Stripping off most of his clothing, he swam the river. Procuring a supply of provisions, he fastened them on an improvised raft, and pushing it ahead of him, successfully crossed the river, and supplied the family of his employer with a Christmas dinner. It was a dangerous feat, and but few swimmers could have accomplished it.

Mr. Mitchell of the California Pioneers of Boston said that the society he belongs to in Massachusetts has over three hundred members. He came to California in 1849. His first day's wages for packing lumber was 310. He mined three years, but did not make a fortune. He went back to Boston, but has visited California three times since.

W. H. Workman, J. M. Guinn and L.

CURBSTONE BATTLE.

AN ELDERLY MAN SLUGGED BY A REAL ESTATE BROKER. An altercation between Alexander Culver, a real estate broker, and an elderly man who accused Culver of having swindled him, resulted in a knockout in front of the Eagle stables on South Broadway yesterday morning.

After some words had passed between
the two men, the elderly man was
heard to say:

"You have swindled me out of every—

"You have swindled me out of everything I had, your dirty curber, you!"

Culver thereupon struck him a sunning blow in the face and was following it up with other jabs and punches when by-standers interfered and stopped the fight. Culver at once hastened to Justice Austin's court and offered to plead guilty to the charge of battery, but in the absence of a complaint his plea was not received. When inquiry was made for Culver later in the day it was announced that he had gone to the country.

The man who was whipped by the pugnacious real estate agent left the scene of conflict without telling any one his name. He was hadly bruised about the face, and it was expected that he would apply for a warrant for Culver's arrest, but up to 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, no action to this effect had been taken.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE regular annual meeting of the members of the Church of the Unity will be held at Unity Church, on the corner of Hill and Third streets, Los Angeles, Cal., on Monday eventur, January 8th, 1900, at \$ o'clock p.m.

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TEN DOLLARS REWARD. The Times offers a reward of \$10 in ing mares' nests in the most extrao dinary and impossible places. Its latest find is that Elbert Hubbard's famous "Message to Garcia" is being made an-other implement for the enslaving and subjugation of the American people— in the Herald's own words, it is a

POSTAGE RATE ON THE MID-

the Sunday news sheets are in-ed the postage will be 5 cents.

ion should deter us from pur-

opposition should deter us fro suing this matter to a finish." There are other excellent rec tion in the near future, if they can spare the necessary time from the game

The pro-Filipino press in this country has been wailing with no end of a rear about the death of Aguinaldo's ago that our unhappy contemporary down street printed about a yard of poetry on the subject of her de and of her pathetic approach to White Throne, and yet, lo and behold, Mrs. Aggie turns up, as chipper as you please, together with her sis-ters, at Bintoc in Lucon, having surrendered the other day with eighteen other Filipinos, to Ma;. March's bat-talion. This is certainly very unkind of Mrs. Aguinaldo, and it is especially trying on the poets who have been be-wailing her sad lot because of her transformation into an angel. Had uld have remained hidden in the doem, rather than embarrass the able editors and the poetasters who have which to adorn a moral and point a tale. The appeals to the Great Throne on her behalf are indeed a sad

slogan "Down With Fusion" for the year 1900. This slogan will probably work until the Democrats meet and show the Populists that the only way to get office is through fusion.

that the Czar of Russia stands fast upon the proposition that the world is old low better than to fight among itself. We cheerfully concur in the above.

has received a New Year's gift of \$3,-370,000 will, if it keeps on in this di-

That is the meaning of "A Message to Garcia," and if Mr. Hubbard's skit has been sent broadcast to thousands of employes it is because, in almost every establishment, and from the top to the bottom of it, there are men who shirk, women who are indolent, girls who are careless, and boys who are ratno hidden meaning whatever in "A Message to Garcia"—it is a frank, open, manly, clear-cut bit of sound advice to

that smacks of insolence, or can figure out of it a reproachful attack of capital upon labor, shows conclusively that the East Wind is playing hob with his

DEMAGOGIC NONSENSE

Considerable talk is being inflicted upon the American public, nowadays, Our continuously unhappy contemporary, the Herald, not only finds no end of things to be unhappy about, with respect to the governmental affairs of the republic, but it likewise has a remarkable faculty for discover-Africa." The phrase, on the surface has an alluring sound, well calculated to "split the ears of the groundlings, or in other words, to deceive the unsus pecting, the uninformed, or the super-ficial observer into the idea that such a thing is possible, desirable, or reason-able. The phrase has been devised by demagogues solely for demagogic purpose, and with a view to stirring up in the United States a sort of maudlin sentimentalism in favor of the Dutch rulers in South Africa, who are fighting to perpetuate their despotic rule, by which they are enabled to oppress, rob and defraud a majority of the people are constantly connubiating to the end

they exercise control. "The United States of South Africa" try, and that workers, already worked to the limit and breathless from their is, indeed, a clever phrase, taking into exertions, shall put forth still more ef-fort, that Dives' coffers may be still As to its origin, it is a fact worth notof of South African, coinage. It has probfurther glutted with gold. All of which is of richness most rich. This latest outburst of our pessimisably never been heard of in Africa, south or north. It probably never will tic and disgruntled contemporary shows conclusively that it is unable any longer to think straight on any sort of a sociological proposition—that it is so consumed of socialism that it cannot be fair in discussing the most simple of marral or coveramental questions. be fair in discussing the most aimple of moral or governmental questions.

To say that Mr. Hubbard's skit, phrase inadvertently, in the course of which has been so many times reprinted and so widely disseminated, is not even the merit of voicing the dreams of impracticable theorists. It is merely the crude invention of the same of impracticable theorists. It is merely the crude invention of the same of impracticable theorists. It is merely the crude invention of the same of the sam

an attack upon independence and a reproach to labor, as such, is fantastic nonsense of the most lurid and idiotic character. "A Message to Garcia" is the character of the most lurid and idiotic character. "A message to Garcia" is the control of t neath the surface of great questions, and who are wont to keep their sym-pathies on tap for the benefit of all

simply a telling lesson in thoroughness, written as such to those who need just the character of advice that is conanagement of the police spariment.

The Mayor, in the denarcter of advice that is contained in the phrase and sentences. In this word, we shall be a sentence of the police spariment of the police department will be forewritten who has been extended and the policy alike, who is deligh his word.

The Market serious attention. And it is to be hoped that when the people of the city adopt a new charter, if they were do such a thing, a provision will be inserted whereby the management of the police department will be forewripted beyond the centrel of policities, either in the Council or out of the police department will be forewripted beyond the centrel of policities, either in the Council or out of the police department will be forewripted beyond the centrel of policities, either in the Council or out of the police department will be forewripted beyond the centrel of policities, either in the Council or out of the police department will be forewripted beyond the centrel of policities, either in the Council or out of the police department will be forewripted generated by the policy of the policy o republic, in which the people of South Africa would have a controlling voice, as the people of the United States conkeeps his eye on the train-sheet, who gives his orders in clear and unmistakable terms, and who, by his seal and fidelity, keeps trains loaded with Under a government truly in form, sh and pass each other on the same track. Kruger and Krugerism; hence the idea carries a message to Garcia. The bookof popular government would not be keeper who looks after his employer's at all popular with the present repreinterests, keeps his books posted and sentatives and exponents of Krugeriam faithfully performs every duty, carries a message to Garcia; in fact, everywhere, every moment of the day, every hour of the day, every day in the of absolutists were willing to have the provinces of South Africa united under a republican form of government similar to that of the United States, it week, and every month in the year, men in all the walks of life are conwould be necessary, before such a thing could be accomplished to secure the costantly on a dead run bearing with and faithfulness, messages to Garcia. Many since a republican government must o times these messages are of little necessity, if it is to be stable, rest upon moment, other times they are of the consent of the governed. To obstupendous concern, but when they are tain such consent would be an imposdelivered promptly the man who per-forms the office of messenger may well sibility, for the reason that interests, opinions, and affiliations are so diverse. be proud in the consciousness that he Homogeneity of race, of aims, of pur has done his duty.

> position or in low position, who shirks his duty or blunders in its performance. be permitted to do under a genuinely be permitted to do under a genuinely There is no person in this world who republican form of government s associated in a business with other would plot the overthrow of the reons, either as employer or employé, public, for the purpose of regaining that does not know how difficult it is their lost power. The majority of the inhabitants of things as well as in great things. Mr. Hubbard's skit points out in simple terms to the dilettante dawdler the South Africa, without a doubt, would greatly prefer to be under the govern-Great Britain, with prestige and the protection which they set to do with concentration of effort, with industry, and with entire faithfulness. This duty may come to one's bark upon any utopian scheme of govhand whether he be employer or em-ployé—it makes no difference as to ernment under existing conditions. It the inhabitants of South Africa were that—the idea is simply that all men, and all boys, and all women, and all girls who have work to do, whether they be running elevators, washing girls who have work to do, whether they be running elevators, washing dishes, plowing corn, manipulating ticable, provided Kruger and Krugerism could be well got rid of. But we typewriters, managing banks, running must take conditions as they exist, rather than as we would have them. ing typesetting machines, sweeping streets, making dresses, trimming hats, Viewed in the practical light of existing conditions, the "United States of South Africa" is an utter impossibilor doing any other of the thousands of things that are to be done in the ity, and the yawpers would world, shall apply themselves to the cease their yawping about it.

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States of South Africa" would be a

anarchy, if left to its own devices. If

house divided against itself, and

such a thing. On the contrary, it is a such would be foredoomed to go down

to the fellow, whether he be in high the Dutch autocrats were not permitted

task in hand and do it, and do it well. POSTAL AND POLITICAL POINTS. The succession in the Los Angeles postoffice, which has been causing no little interest in local circles, squares and triangles recently, is about to be settled by the President upon the rec-

mmendation of Representative Waters When made, the appointment of Judge Lewis A. Groff, to fill the vacancy that will occur through the retiremen of Gen. John R. Mathews, will, we pre-

body of disinterested citizens.

Judge Groff is a man of character, inexperience and success in responsible positions. He was once Commissioner of the General Land Office in Washing ton—the place now held by Binger Her-mann of Oregon—and his record in that important office (which was recently looked up) was found to be excellent.

Previous to that time Mr. Groff was for many years a practicing attorney in Nebraska, making for himself an enviable reputation and building up an extensive practice. Subsequently he was a judge on the bench at Omaha,

serving with usefulness and honor.

With his business and professional abits, he will make a capable postand render good service to the public, fore all else, which is the first duty of

every public official.

Judge Groff's Republica borne the test of years; and we pre-dict that, in the lower sense of mere party expediency, the appointment will one, for true it is that "he serves his party best who serves his country

was practically settled upon, without being promised to anybody however, by Mr. Waters some time ago; but, with the matter open to give all rivals a fair chance. Judge Groff's backers are his home people in Los Angeles, where the duties of his office are to be discharged

infamous design to elect Dan Burns to the United States Senate, is most timely. The Republicans holding offices in California ought to understand, and probably do understand, that should the present conspiracy against the Repub-lican party and the State of California

the present condition of affairs promises for the future.

The Mississippi River is frozen over, but mark you, the Los Angeles con-tinues to babble on its way to the sea invexed by ice, and we regret to say, in many places plumb out of sight. Come streams instead of skate on them on

Gen. French appears to have got the swing of it. His scrapping tactics show that there is at least one commander in the British army who understands that there is a better way to fight than by main strength and

Emperor William continues to clamor for a big navy and, as the young monarch usually gets what he clamors will eventually have a fleet that it will e unsafe to bump up against.

If Chicago's big canal should succeed in draining the Chicago River the Windy City will have lost its most odoriferous and, in some respects, most

With regard to this matter of armed and organized forces in this country for dash on Canada, it is a safe bet that there is much more talk about it than guns or gunpowder. We do not understand why a mar

situation should be fooling around in Geneva, N. Y., a town which is so far With regard to the Danish West Indies, it looks as if Uncle Sam would

who holds the key to the South African

either have to fish, cut bait or go Should oil be discovered at Mojave

Peter Maher's Happy New Year appears to have consisted in a soul-jolting belt on the jaw.

that nothing is made in vain.

Gen. French of the British army evidently understands how to carry "A Message to Garcia."

Richard Croker has broken his leg. Alas, how many accidents occur at wrong endly

RANCHERS REASON.

SECOND DAY'S MEETING OF FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

Tillers of the Soil Consider Papers on Various Topics of Interest Others.

Farmers' Clubs of the Seven Souther Counties are Represented and Shown.

Papers by F. L. Palmer, Prof. H. Culbertson, W. S. Melick and Others. Evening Session-Today's Programme.

The second day of the University Farmers' Club Convention at Pasadena was well attended by representatives of forty farmers' clubs located in the seven countes of Southern Cantonia.

Many women were in attendance, and the meeting was a repetition of the first day's intelligent consideration of instructive and interesting topics. The various speakers of the day delivered carefully-prepared addresses treating in turn of agricultural bacteria, the olive industry, wainut bleaching, irrigation of hardpan, coöperation, fertilisation and legislation pertinent to the interests of the farmer.

A pleasing feature of the day's programmes was the music which was volunteered by Pasadens local talent and which was a treat to the assembled tillers of the soil.

The morning session opened with cho-

bied tillers of the soil.

The morning session opened with chorus singing by twenty-five school children, led by Mrs. Sweezy, director of singing in the Passadena public schools.

Prof. H. Culbertson followed with an expectation.

singing in the Pasadena public schools. Prof. H. Culbertson followed with an invocation.

"Bacteria in Agriculture" was considered by Prof. A. J. McClatchie of the Arisons Experiment Station, Phoenix, who said that there are more bacteria in agriculture than is commonly realized. Some of them, he said, are detrimental, but the majority of them are the farmers' friends. One of their most valuable functions, explained the speaker, is the storing up of nitrogen, and all decay is due to the activity of various species of bacteria.

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of the soil at a depth immediately be-neath that reached by the customary cultivation of our orchards. So far as my observation goes, it occurs usually at a depth of about five or six inches from the surface, and extends to a depth of eleven or twelve inches. This stratum seems to be somewhat cemented

tically so, for it is extremely difficult, by any ordinary frigation, to wet this hard stratum.

"Orange trees growing under such hardicapped conditions cannot be expected to flourish nor to fulfill their mission of abundant fruitage, and to mature a crop of good-sized fruit. Wherever hardpan is prevalent there the fruit has invariably failed to reach merchantable sizes. Trees growing in hardpan are more susceptible to frost."

The speaker referred then to a number of letters exchanged by him with Milton Whitney of the Agricultural Department at Washington. The department is still carrying on investigations along this line, but no definite conclusions have been reached as to a mode of so treating the land as to remedy the difficulty.

Mr. Palmer said that he had secured a more satisfactory irrigation where these streaks of hardpan exist by running a subsoiler in advance of each irrigation. The implement used was a large steel hook with a narrow shoe at the point. By attaching this hook to the frame of a riding sulky drawn by four animals, it is possible to subsoil the orchard to a depth of thirteen inches. In conclusion the speaker said: "If we are not able to overcome the difficulty by the use of some chemical substance that will neutralize the cementing element in the water or soil, I am of the opinion that it will be advisable to use straw freely upon the land, or coarse stable manure, plowing it under during the early winter."

J. H. Reed of Riverside gave some additional facts in relation to hard-part and in a paper en-

additional facts in pan irrigation.

Prof. H. Culbertson of El Cajon was called upon next, and in a paper entitled "The Fertilization of Orchards" discussed the values of different fertil-

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"People have been using ground bone for many years," said the speaker, "thinking they were getting phosphoric acid from it. Now we are informed that no such acid is contained in the bone, and the beneficial effects arising from its use have been coming from the nitrogen which is in the bone.

"Pilling up of barnyard manure is done at the cost of the nitrogen which it contains. If properly cared for and not allowed to ferment, the best results ensue. Drying by spreading out is the best method of preserving the fertilizer. The nitrogen, which is the valuable part of manure, is contained in its liquid parts, and much of it is lost by improper treatment."

An animated discussion followed Prof. Culbertson's address. Dr. Woodbridge, who led it, said that animal excrescences should be put on and under the soil as soon as possible, and that the sun should not be allowed to take up the great percentage of moisture which is needed so badly by the soil. It was contended by others that

immediate application of the manure in summer would tend to burn out the soil. Dr. Woodbridge expressed the opinion that fertilizers containing phosphates are not needed in this region; that patosh and nitrogen produce the desired results.

W. S. Melick, a member of the Legislature and publisher of the Pasadena News, spoke of "Legislation for Farmera." In brief he said:

"If the farmers of California desire of the next regular session of the Legislature which convenes just one year bence any legislation that shall help the farmers, it is quite within the province of this convention of farmers' clubs to formulate bills, adopt resolutions, sign petitions and pass motions which may go out during this year and receive the consideration and sanction of all farmers' clubs and thus be the composite voice of the producer in behalf of desired legislation.

"This convention may well consider and put itself in harmony with the Trans-Mississippi Congress, the National Irrigation Congress, the recent Forest and Water Society meeting in San Francisco in moving solidiy and progressively in behalf of the Federal aid in the construction of storage reservoirs.

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"And as the 'tree is the mother of the fountain,' let us commend the gov-"And as the 'tree is the mother of the fountain,' let us commend the government for much that it has already done and is doing to protect our mountain forests and impress on it also that more is desired that the forests may be adequately protected and that the denuded reserves shall be reforested." "Green Manuring" was covered thoroughly by Charles R. Paine of the Redlands Horticultural Club, who told in a comprehensive manner how nature provides for fertilization of the soil.

The wide tire law came up for discussion and it was recommended by the assemblage that resolutions be passed calling upon the Legislature to delay the enforcement of the new law which, it was represented, would, at the present time, inflict a hardship upon the majority of farmers. At the same time it was admitted freely that no great objection existed to the use of wide tires. Numerous other resolutions were read and referred to a committee which will report this morning.

EVENING ASSEMBLY.

At the opening of the evening session matters of interest to the property of the property of the property is such as a committee which will report this morning.

To believe that the order taking the routing of cars away from the shippers comes direct from the Transcontinental Freight Association, and appeals to individual railway companies will be unavailing. As an evidence of the hearing of the personal railway in the personal railway.

the benefits of organiztation I might mention the Standard Oil Company, the steel and iron trust, the sugar trust, the whisky trust and other organizations. Another combination which appeals more forcibly to us as fruit shippers is the box trust. In the past three years they have added 3 cents to the price of each box.

"Since the organization of the Wine Growers' Association the price of wine has gone up rapidly, on the consumption of wine has increased with the price. At 6 cents a gallon there was no demand for the product of the vineyard, but with the gradual increase to 22 cents per gallon the consumption has increased. This illustrates the fact that dealers will not buy on an unstable zz cents per gallon the consumption has increased. This illustrates the fact that dealers will not buy on an unstable basis, but as soon as they are assured that their competitors must pay the same price their confidence is restored. "The same is true of the raisin industry, and the demand-for California raisins, which was on the decrease before organization, now has resched

dustry, and the demand-for California, raisins, which was on the decrease before organization, now has reached unprecedented proportions.

"Whenever the deciduous fruit growers of this State will organize so that they can control 75 per cent. of the market, they will be able to realize a fair price for their product. As for citrus fruits, I am not se well posted." The speaker concluded with a brief history of the organization of the Raisin Growers' Association, which comprises more than 75 per cent. of the growers of the State. He told of the immediate improvement in the relations between the growers and the persons with whom "sey dealt, the packers and the brokers. Instead of asking concessions the growers were enabled to dictate their own terms. The speaker expressed the opinion that it is as practicable to organize the deciduous fruit growers as it was to form association of raisin growers.

Miss Elizabeth Jones, accompanied on the plano by Miss Wilson, sang a pleasing solo and an encore, and, to Miss Goodwin's accompaniment, Mrs. B. O. Kendall sang.

This morning at 8 o'clock a large party of the attendants at the institute will take a ride in carriages about Pasadena. At 10 o'clock the regular morning session will convene, and at 2 o'clock p.m. the dairy section will meet at the Board of Trade and the pomological section at the Auditorium.

A "Tremendous Pressure."

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[San Francisco Chronicle:] It seems to us that a Governor of California is entitled to be believed when he states that he has no intention of calling an extra session of the Legislature, and we should think that the matter might drop. They are certainly no friends of the Governor who persist in doubting his word, and in pestering him with importunities which he cannot escape, and which must be exceedingly distanted. That his political enemies might seek to induce him to kill himself is conceivable, but that those professing to be Republicans and his

merely because they can get at him is beyond comprehension.

The Governor's statement that the "pressure" brought to bear upon him to call an extra session is "tremendous" is doubtless correct. And yet we appeal to the readers of the Chronicis to prove to themselves that not a single person of their acquaintance desires an extra session to be called, unless he has some personal end to gain by it. It is possible for the corporations who desire a reliable servant in the United States Senate to induce many of those best known to the Governor and who have easy access to him to "press" him to call an extra sersion. There are always a few who have hopes of personal advantage who can be got to join their strength to the monopolies regardless of the public welfare, but the people whose votes elected Gov. Case and will elect his successor do not wish him to call the Legislature together. They do not wish to endure the consequences of an extra session.

If the people of the State desired an

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—The foreign mili-tary attaches lunched with the Em-peror yesterday. The Emperor and Crown Prince at noon received the Jap-anese Minister who presented the Order of the Chrysanthemum to the Crown

Rev. Fred J. Masters Passes Away. OAKLAND, Jan. 2.—Rev. Fred J.
Masters died at his home, No. 1749
Oxford street Berkeley, today. For the
past fourteen years he has been superintendent of the Pacific Coast church
missions. The deceased leaves a widow
and four children. No date yet set for
funeral.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 2.—Mai Alexander Rogers of the Sixth Cavalry has, at his own request, been relieved from duty as military attaché at the United States Embassy at Paris and ordered to join his regiment in this country.

At New York Hotels.

My daughter has just finished a pic

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Swell billowy, but not so grand As in the souls of men expand. The tidal deeps Which, while the rock-ribbed

Her glory keeps.

Santa Monica, Cal., January, 1909.



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THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, 3ss. 2.—[Reported by George E. Frankin, Local Forecast Official.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30,6; at 5 p.m., 30,55. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 32 deg. and ib deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 39 per cent.; 5 p.m., 81 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., porthwest, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., southeast, velocity 5 miles. Maximum temperature, 52 deg.; minimum temperature, 10 deg. Rainfall past twenty-four hours, trace. Barometer reduced to sea level.

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BELL BOY KILLED

CRUSHED BY AN ELEVATOR IN THE VAN NUYS BROADWAY. THE VAN NUTS BROADWAY.

Earl Newton, 14 years old, employed as a bell boy at the Hotel Van Nuys Broadway, was crushed to death while dusting the hotel elevator yesterday morning. The cage was at the second floor, and the boy was on top of it dusting, when he leaned over the edge to speak to a lady who was passing below. The supposition is that he clutched the power rope to steady himself when he leaned over, and the weight of his body started the machinery. At any rate the cage shot suddenly upward. The sudden motion caused him to lose his balance and pitch forward, but before half of his length had cleared the top of the cage, he had been carried up to the third floor and was pinched between it and the top of the cage as in a vice. The pressure was so great that the bones above the waist line and his internal organs were crushed, and the blood rushed from his chest to his head with such force as to burst the blood vessels of the brain. The skin of his face and head turned a dark purple from the congestion of blood, so that a first glance at the corpse gave the impression that the victim of the accident was a colored boy.

The young man in charge of the elevator was at his post when the cage started upward. He knew the danger that threatened the boy on top and immediately grasped the brake-lever, but the fatality occurred before the cage could be stopped.

Young Newton had been employed at the Van Nuys Broadway ever since the hotel was started. Manager Potter stated last night that he was an excellent boy and always faithful to duty. The bell boys take turns in dusting the elevator daily, and yesterday it was Newton's turn. The lad had often done the work and was familiar with the cage started upward with him on top. Mr. Potter ascribes the accident to thought lessness of the boy in grasping the power rope, and leaning over the edge of the cage to speak to some one below. An elevator engineer examined the machinery after the accident and pronounced it in first-class adjustment and working order. No blame is att Earl Newton, 16 years old, employed s a bell boy at the Hotel Van Nuys

RECEIVING HOSPITAL.

MEXICAN'S CHEEK CUT BY A

GARBAGE GATHERER

Pear's amount.
Contractor McCann has stated that
he would begin work on Alviso Slough
today. The new dredger is at Alviso,
and is an object of considerable curiosity to the townspeople. In explanation of the rumor that he who owns the property at the south-west corner of Spring and Fourth streets, had offered to erect a hotel building on that site, if Mr. Potter would undertake the management of

would undertake the management of it on certain terms.

"Mr. Hunt made several propositions to me," said Mr. Potter, "but I could not see my way clear to the acceptance of any of them, and so informed him repeatedly. I made him a counter proposition, which was not agreeable to him, and since then I have heard nothing more from him. I do not believe that anything will come of the negotiations, and I, for my part, consider everything off."

Mr. Hunt spent considerable time in Los Angeles recently, when he broached the subject of a new hotel to Mr. Potter. He accumulated a fortune in the turpentine business in the South, and is enamored of Southern California.

Death of Col. Elderkin.

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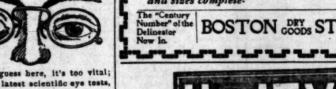
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[THE PUBLIC SERVICE.] MUNICIPAL AFFAIRS.

DISCUSSED IN THE MAYOR'S ANNUAL MESSAGE.

Frank D. Crandall's Third Trial on Charge of Killing A. J. Bowman Yesterday.

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[AT THE CITY HALL.] MAYOR'S ANNUAL MESSAGE.

GENERAL REVIEW OF AFFAIRS AFFECTING THE MUNICIPALITY.

Received Without Comment by the Council—Police Commission Meets. Restaurant Liquor Licenses a Subterfuge-Sergt. Morton Reinstated. Billboards Cause Debate.

To the Honorable City Council—Generatiemen: In accordance with the provision of our city charter, which requires the Mayor to present to the Council at its first meeting in January of each year a general statement of the affairs of the corporation, the following message is submitted for the consideration of your honorable body:

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

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The affairs of the corporation, the following message is submitted for the past year than was the Health Department during the epidemic of small.

"Having accomplished these results, the two commissioners tendered their resignations, and they were accepted by your honorable body. Within twenty-four hours after the appointment of a new Board of Commissioners, a meeting was held at which a great part of the work accomplished by the previous board was undone. The officers who had been reduced in rank because of inefficiency, insubordination, or for still graver reasons, were restored to their former positions. Officers whose fidelity and competency had been rewarded by the former commission with promotion were reduced in rank. The action, however, has been taken, and it is to be hoped that the unfortunate differences which have arisen may yet result in good. "Chief of Police Glass has resigned his position after ten years of service that was highly satisfactory to the taxpayers and law-abiding citizens of the community and I trust that these members of your honorable body with whom the selection of a successor seems to rest, may exercise good judgment in filling this very important of fice.

"The City Jail has been kept in good condition during the year, and the management of the culinary department has been economical.

"The chain gang has done considerable work, but it has been of such a nature that the results are not apparent to the general public." The gang should be epremanently located in Elysian Park, where it could be employed upon roads which are of value to the entire public. This plan would effect a saving, as the work could then be done without hiring teams.

"The police force is totally inadequate in numbers for the territory and population it is required to police. The signal system is now in working order, and when the men have all become thoroughly familiar with it, their usefulness will be increased, but much territory will still lack the necessary patrolling.

"EGISLATION.

"The statutes of our State contain an act providing for the pensioning of po-

The annual message of the Mayor was submitted to the Council yesterday. It evoked no comment from use city's legislative body, although once, while the clerk was reading that portion which reviewed the events that have transpired in police circles, President Silver was obliged to request that due respect be given to the reading of the document. Some of the members showed a tendency to grow facetious over the view the Mayor took of the police situation, but the president's gavel promptly restored order. The message covers ten typewriten pages and reviews in a general way the most important matters that a way been brought before the Mayor and Council during the past year. Two pages are devoted to summing up the police of suttation at no work of the police of the p

falling vigilance of Dr. Powers, the Health Officer, that the disease was not more widespread and the mortality much greater.

"The danger that the city will again be visited by smallpox recurs with each year. The Health Department should be so fully equipped that the disease can be stamped out immediately upon its appearance. Experience has shown the difficulty of successfully quarantining smallpox patients in thickly-settled portions of the city, and it is therefore of the utmost importance that a properly equipped hospital shall be provided at once. The recommendations made by the Health Officer in his annual report deserve careful consideration and prompt action. The present hospital accommodations are utterly inadequate and smallpox patients are naturally averse to being taken from their homes to such quarters.

"Much difficulty has been encountered in selecting a site for a new hospital, owing to the prejudice of residents in the vicinity of each locality that has been suggested. But regard for the welfare of the city must prevail over such objections, and local-opposition should not longer delay a measure so vital to the public health. "It is worthy of note that the Health Officer reports that in no case of smallpox did death result where the patient had been successfully vaccination stations established by the Board of Health and the precautions enforced in the public schools undoubtedly did much to prevent the spread of the Child English of the C

"The report of the Chief Engineer of the fire department shows the great

mote the public interest and the wel-fare of the city. [Signed] "FRED EATON, "Mayor." and improvements must be made to keep pace with the growth of the city. "Another department whose needs cannot be adequately provided for from the tax levy is the Public Library. The present quarters of the library are seriously overcrowded, and the time must soon come when it will be necessary to erect a library building. The annual report of the librarian indicates that considerable expenditures must also be made to replace many standard works which have been worn out by constant use. These and other needs of the library must receive attention if fils value to the public is to be maintained. "The introduction of the principles of civil-service reform into the subordinate positions in our city government would correct, and in a measure eradicate the most objectionable feature in local politics. Under the present system the most active and energetic citizen found working politics for the public good is the patronage broker and the man seeking to enter the city's employ.

ONLY A SUBTERFUGE.

"The department of irrigation, at one time when almost all of the river water will be carried to a high level, and the remainder of the flow will then be insufficient for the irrigator's present requirements. Until the growth of the city finally converts these irrigated lands into residence property, some provision such as suggested in my last annual message should be made to meet th's deficiency. In support of this recommendation it may be mentioned that the City Engineer's annual report in-

SALOON MAN'S ADMISSION.
"These restaurant liquor licenses issued to saloons are used simply as a means of violating the Sunday saloon-closing law. They are mere subterfuges, and the way they are operated in this city gives the saloon men an opportunity to get around the law. You know it and we saloon men know it, but we have to have such licenses in order to protect our business." This plain statement of fact was made to the Board of Police Commissioners by SALOON MAN'S ADMISSION.

these gentlemen and they have rendered much service which, under the terms of their employment, they were not obliged to give. The value to the city of the Pomeroy and Hooker decision cannot be estimated, as it virtually protects the river from encroachments that were threatening its entire absorption by private interests. The character of proof necessary in these suits required the presentation of facts which could be secured only by physical demonstrations, and these were expensive.

"The predictions of the legal department that the water litigation will be brought to an early termination will be brought to an early termination will be welcome to the taxpayers of the city.

THE ENTENTE CORDIALE.

"While the executive and the legislative departments of the city government have at times during the past year differed widely upon questions of importance, such differences have not been of a personal nature and it is to be hoped that in the coming year a greater degree of harmony may be induced by a common property to pro-

Woinan's Nature

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 3, 1900.

MORTON REINSTATED.

celligan was appointed a private po-ceman for duty at the plant of the V. H. Perry Lumber and Mill Com-any. The board then adjourned until

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1329.50.
On motion of Councilman Blanchard, the City Attorney was instructed to present an ordinance to prevent the dumping of garbage, tin cans and the like on vacant lots.

POLICE PENSIONS.

HOSPITAL BILL REJECTED. afternoon as the board of poice pension fund commissioners for the quarterly session. Commissioners Ling, Scarborough and Day were present. A bill was presented from the Hospital of the Good Samaritan, at No. 224 West Seventh street, for services rendered Officer C. G. Lehnhausen during his recent illness. In October Officer Lehnhausen was badly injured in trying to stop a runaway at Fifth and Spring Streets, and was taken to the Hospital of the Good Samaritan. From October 19 to December 1 he required the attendance of nurses at the hospital. The bill presented yesterday is signed by Catherine Caldweil, superintendent of the hospital and is attested by the signature of Dr. Raiph Hagan, police surgeon. It asks that \$110 be paid out of the hospital and is attested by the signature of Dr. Raiph Hagan, police surgeon. It asks that \$110 be paid out of the injured man.

A lengthy opinion was received from the City Attorney, to whom the matter had been submitted, saying that the bill could not be paid out of the police pension fund. The law, according to the interpretation of the City Attorney, provided that old or injured policemen who recovered and were able to resume their duties.

Mr. Scarborough said that he understood that the officer had drawn full pay during his illness, and for this reason he would move that the bill be rejected, on the ground that it was not a proper claim against the police pension fund. Mr. Ling seconded the motion and it was carried.

The following demands were passed?

A. B. Bates, half-pay for October, November and December, \$125; John Stephenson, half-pay for December. \$41: George M. Trowbridge, thres months' pay as clerk, \$75.

After passing the demands the board adjourned.

The Board of Police Commissi nd the five me

think it a good practice to taupplemental action to insure forcement of a city ordinance. The forcement of a city ordinance is not be necessary every time mance is passed for the Council police department to action."

"Nevertheless," and Presiden "I think the Council should ge expression in this matter."

"I should like to know," and iman Pessell, "what right the department has to go upon "The same right that it has "The same right that it has the saloons," replied Presiden with an audible smile. "If hance is not enforced, I do not with Councilman Toll that the should sit back and say nothing ever, if my colleagues are on

Lights Delayed. Resarding the delay in pu lights at street crossings, in ance with the terms of the lighting contract, City Ele

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[AT THE COURTHOUSE.] CRANDALL'S THIRD TRIAL.

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after struggling with more or less hardihood for thirty hours or so, announced that it was no use and begged to be let off. They were.

Thus concluded Charles Compton's third trial. It is alleged in the information against him that he forged the name of L. H. Greene of Cincinnati to a deed to Washington street property that he gave in security for a loan of 31000 from the Columbia Savings Bank. The alleged offense occurred in May, 1897. W. M. Ware, an implicated party, turned State's evidence and was given his liberty. Compton avers that he is the victim of a shameful scheme to railroad him to the penitentiary. Whether or not he will be tried again, Dist.-Atty. Rives does not yet announce. He says that he will do some further investigation before he takes any action.

COURTHOUSE NOTES. MISCELLANEOUS BREVITIES.

NATURALIZED. Gottfried Nollac, native of Germany, was naturalized by Judge Fitzgerald yesterday.
Judge Smith naturalised Eugene P.
Weber, a native of Switzerland, and
Alvis C. Weber, a native of the same

PUBLIC MONEYS. County Auditor
Nichols, assisted by the chairman of
the Board of Supervisors, and the District Attorney, counted the county's
cash on band yesterday moraing. The

beginning of 1900 finds \$790,671.40 in the treasury. The receipts for the month of December in the County Clerk's office were 2s follows: Probate, \$552,955. civil, \$1203.25; miscellaneous, \$348.45, aggregating \$212.65. The License Collector took in \$5307.60 last month; the Treasurer \$825,571.68, who paid out \$335,853.88.

DIVORCED. Mrs. Nancy Miller, a little woman with six children, the eldest of which is 9 years old, was divorced from J. D. Miller yesterday by Judge Fitzgerald. The decree is granted on a cross-complaint. Miller had alleged cruelty; his wife proved non-support. The court was unrelenting in his remarks to the derelict husband and father, and ordered him to pay an allmony of \$10 as month. He is a junk dealer. The children were awaried to the mother.

DAVIR ILL. Chairman A. E. Davis of the Board of Supervisors is ill and will be unable to attend the meetings of that body for several days.

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MINES AND MINING.

SATISFACTORY INCREASE IN THE RANDSBURG WATER SUPPLY.

Mine-Black Hills Group, Ariz. Gusdalupe Mines Reopened-Little

The news from Randsburg in respect to an increase in the supply of water for mining purposes is very encouraging. The too-commonly accepted belief that the desert must necessarily be as devoid of water below the surface as it is on the surface is being gradually dispelled. The mining men of that camp are finding out that water, as is said of gold, is where you find it, and they are discovering that they can find it almost anywhere up there when they look for it. A report from Randsburg states that Messrs. Cook and Crowell have struck a good body of water on the east slope of Red Mountain. When the tunnel was in seventy feet they commenced sinking, and at a depth of a few feet water began to flow in so large a quantity as to stop further work until pumping machinery could be put in. Another strike of water is reported to have been made by A. W. Collins of the Black Hawk mines, while sinking at Cuddeback Lake, eighteen inches having been developed at a depth of 140 feet. Other instances could be cited, and which sufficiently prove that there is an abundance of water for mining purposes at Randsburg, and at other camps on the desert; all that is necessary is to search for it and develop it.

SAN DIEGO MINE BONDED.

The San Diego Union publishes a report that New York parties have taken a \$20,000 option on a gold mine near Failbrook, belonging to A. Campbell. The ore is free milling, but the property has only been developed to a limited extent. Reports state that assays show an average of \$1.30 in gold to the ton, and it is stated that the ore would pay to work even at less average values. The New York company had an expert examine the property before taking the option on it. Work is to be begun on it at once.

BLACK HILLS GROUP.

A report from Jerome, Ariz, states that at the Black Hills group two hoists, one on the upper end, and one on the lower shaft, are now being placed in position. This work would have been completed some time ago, but there was delay in the arrival of the machinery. As soon as the hoists are in place, the work of sinking will be at once resumed, and pushed as quickly as possible. Several Los Angeles parties are interested in the Black may not have been Suicide.

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THE GUADALUPE MINES. THE GUADALUPE MINES.

The Guadalupe quicksilver mines, formerly one of the most valuable mining properties in Santa Clara Valley, in this State, are to be reopened after an Idleness of nearly twenty years. In reference thereto the San José Herald says: "These mines, aithough decidedly rich in quicksilver ore, were forced to cease operation in 1880 on account of litigation, but arrangements have been made, and on or about January 15 work will be resumed with a force of some 150 men. It is the intention to coment the creek bottom to carry off the water, and do away with the old wooden flume. The machinery is being remodeled and cleaned."

THE LITTLE BUTTE. THE LITTLE BUTTE.

The statement is made that a reorganization of the Little Butte Mining Company of Randsburg, Cal., is being contemplated, a new board of directors elected and money enough put up to properly develop the mine. The Little Butte is one of the deepest mines in the Rand, and has always been considered a good property by those who know what good ore is, but it has suffered from an overdesire to consider it purely a stock-selling proposity. It is believed that under efficient management the Little Butte will show itself a good-paying mine.

DEMAND FOR SMELTING ORES.

The San Francisco Chronicle draws attention to a matter that is of much importance to mining men of Southern California. It says that smelting ores are coming into favor in California as they have never done before in the history of mining, and that at the present time it is one of the most significant features in the mining industry. "The wonderful success." the Chronicle says, "which has attended the bandling of smelting ores within the past few years has turned the attention of capital to their availability as promising investments. Very recently some important purchases of smelting propositions have been made in the morthern part of the State by parties who thoroughly understand how to operate such ores, and with the transfers plans have been prepared for the erection of smelters to reduce the ore when the ground shall have been systematically opened so that the mineralized rook may be economically stoped." Here, in Southern California are large bodies, of ere than can be profitably mined, but there are no smelters. MAND FOR SMELTING ORES.

HELVETIA CAMP, ARIZONA. The Tucson, Ariz, Star says that word received from Helvetia is that the smelter is running and turning out 400 pounds of copper every hour, and is not running more than two-thirds of is capacity. It is also reported that they have developed immense bodies of high grade sulphide ores, and the end of the cross.ut has not yet been reached. A second jacket will be installed shortly. The force in all departments aggregates 300 men.

aggregates 300 men.
OLD WOMAN'S MOUNTAINS. Reports received from Old Woman's fountains district, San Bernardino ounty, Cal., are that work will be county, Cal., are that work will be actively pursued throughout the winter. A body of shipping ore has been struck in the Silver Wave that gives values of 561 ounces silver and three and one-half ounces soid per ton. On the Jack Pot and Stemwinder claims Packer and McArdie are taking out ore that runs 250 ounces silver and five and one-quarter ounces gold to the ton. The Warwick ten-stamp mill is completed and has made a satisfactory test run.

THE GRAND REEF, ARIZ. THE GRAND REEF, ARIZ.

From El Paso, Tex., comes news that J. W. Payne, mining representative of John W. Mackay of San Francisco has closed a deal in New York for the sale to eastern parties of two of the nine claims of the Grand Reef property in Arizona, belonging to John W. Mackay. A large amount of development work has been done on the property, which is gold, silver and copper, and although it is only a low-grade proposition, there are immense bodies of ore in sight. The property is about sixty miles from Wilcox.

MINING NOTES.

Shipments of concentrates from Chloride, Ariz., during the three months ended December 20, 1899, amounted to fifty-five carloads, equal to about twelve hundred and fifty tons. The Miners' Association of Southern California has taken possession of its new and handsome quarters in the German-American Bank building, at the corner of First and Main streets, Los Angeles.

Angeles.
Fifty-dollar rock has been struck in
the Ophir gold quartz claim on Clear
Creek, Shasta county, Cal. The walls
of the vein are porphyry and granite.

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An inquest was held yesterday morning at Howry's morgue over the remains of M. K. McLaughlin, a linetype mains of M. K. McLaughlin, a linotype operator, who died in the Receiving Hospital Sunday morning. The jury returned a verdict to the effect that death resulted from morphine poisoning, but, from the evidence before the jury, it could not be determined whether the drug was taken with suicidal intent or otherwise. Some of the dead man's friends are of the opinion that the used morphine to produce sleep, and accidentally took an overdose. Two important witnesses, who, it was thought, might be able to throw light on the question, could not be found by the Coroner. McLaughlin's body was buried in the Typographical Union's plot in Rosedale Cemetery yesterday afternoon.

Shipments of Oranges.

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For Saturday, Sunday and Monday the shipments of oranges were: To Albany, one car; Buffalo, seven; Boston, seven; Chicago, thirty-six; Cincinnati, three; Chattanooga, one; Cleveland, four; Denver, one; Detroit, one; Fort Dodge, lowa, one; Indianapolis, one; Joplin, Mo., one; Kansas City, five; Lincoln, Neb., one; New York, eighteen; Oklahoma, one; Omaha, four; Oneita, N. Y., one; Providence, two; St. Joseph, one; Springfield, Mass., two; St. Louis, two: St. Paul, one; Sloux City, one; Trinidad, one; Utica, one; Wheeling, one; Minneapolis, two; Milwaukee, two; total, 115.

A Dangerous Obstruction.

George Valpey, a messenger boy in the employ of the California District the employ of the California District
Messenger Service, suffered a bad fall
and got his bicycle wrecked about 1:15
o'clock yesterday morning at the
corner of Requena and Wilmington
streets. He was riding west on Requena street, and on crossing Wilmington ran into a lumber wagon
which had been left standing almost
in the middle of Requena street. The
building on the northwest corner of
the two streets cast a shadow over
the wagon, and it could not be discerned by passersby. Valpey's right
wrist was sprained by his fall.

Two indictments were returned by the rederal grand jury yesterday, charg-ng twelve persons with violating the

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Cars, but Railroad Agents Threaten

The seriousness of the situation which confronts the citrus-fruit growers of Southern California as a result of the effort of the two railroad companies to arbitrarily take absolute control of the routing of shipments to the eastern market is such that the men at the bead of the various big shipping and packing companies and exchanges openly state that the very life of the industry is at stake. That the new ruling or agreement of the railroad companies is intended to benefit and is made at the behest of the owners of private car lines is also openly asserted, and with equal emphasis it is declared by these leaders in the citrus industry that they will not submit to

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Builto Companies Continue to Load Cars, but Railroad Agents Threaten to Unload Them by Tomorrow.

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\$10.00 Men's Suits.

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\$20.00 Men's Suits.

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\$20.00 Men's Overcoats.

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Every mother knows the "Star" waist, sold always and

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25c Boys' Underwear. Shirts and drawers, broken lines of merino and canton

35c Boys' Underwear.

75c Boys' Underwear. Pleece lined hygiene natural gray underwear, extra qual-ity at 75c; Removal Sale..... 75c Boys' Gloves.

Brown and tan kid gloves, fleece lined and fur trim'd; 40° Removal Sale 15c Boys' Hose.

Fast black, derby ribbed hose, 7 c with double heel and toe, all 20c Boys' Hose. Extra heavy derby ribbed, lisle fin-ished stainless black hose, high appliced heels, double toe and 11° knee; Removal Sale..... soc Boys' Hose. All wool black hose, heavy ribbed, seamless, with double knee and toe, high spliced heel; 29° Removal Sale.....

Heavy weight all wool sweaters, latest styles of collars, maroon, red, blue and black; Removal Sale...., \$1.20 Boys' Hats. 35c Boys' Caps.
Blue, black and mixe! golf

Our regular \$1.50 black, brown and pearl, silk trimmed Fedora 89c

\$2.00 Boys' Sweaters.

caps that sold at 35c; Removal Sale..... 75c Boys' Caps. Yacht shape and Eton Leather Caps, tan, brown and wine leather, with black or colored vizor; 41° Removal Sale. 65c Boys' Hats Black, blue and brown, Alpine Fedora Hats, were 65c; 33c \$.. 50 Boys' Hats.

\$1.50 Ladies' Shoes. Lace and button, black kid, flexible soles, coin toes,

\$2.50 Ladies' Shoes. Black imperial kid shoes, button only, coin and square toes, patent leather tips, beel and spring heel, sizes 2 14 \$1.26 to 8; Removal Sale....

\$2,50 Ladies' Shoes. Vici kid, tourist heel foxed, flex-ible sewed soles, lace and button, coin and buildog toes, \$1.43

\$3.00 Ladies' Shoes. Vici kid, lace and button, with Goodyear welt soles, all sizes, coin and bulidog toes with new style tips; \$1.77 Removal Sale..... \$3.50 Ladies' Shoes. Lace and button, Goodyear welt extension and genuine hand-turned sole, buildog and coin

\$1.25 Misses' Shoes.

\$2.00 Misses' Shoes.

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Veal calf lace, coin toe and 89° tip; size 12 to 2; Removal Sale

\$1.75 Boys' Shoes. Sizes 21/2 to 51/2, with nickel eyelets and hooks, heavy half double \$3.00 Mens Shoes.

\$5.00 Men's Shoes. Odds and ends of different lines, in tan and black, none were less than \$5.00; small sizes or narrow widths \$1.39 Removal Sale.....

\$3.50 Men's Shoes. the sale starts this morning. Removal Sale..... \$1.89

\$3.50 Men's Shoes. Russian calf in tan, kid, with kid or silk vesting top, lace only, coin and buildog toes, all sizes; \$2.18

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Mixed cheviot school suits, double breasted coats and knee pants; Removal

\$3.50 Boys' Suits. Knee pants sults for to 10 seat and double

\$6.00 Boys' Suits. Worsteds, cassimeres and cheviots, double seat and double knee,

Coat, vest and long were \$5.00; for the Removal Sale......

\$7.50 Youths' Suits. Mixed cheviots, good serviceable material; single and double breasted sack suits; ages 12 to 19 years; Removal Sale....

\$10,00 Youths' Suits.

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50c Men's Underwear. at 50c; Removal 75c Men's Underwear:

\$1.00 Men's Underwear.

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Heavy lamb's wool underwear, strictly all wool, well finished 89° colors sliver gray and vicuna; 89° Removal Sale.... 35c Men's Neckwear. Puffs, tecks, flowing ends and imperials, silk and satin ties, ight and dark colors;

ome silk and satin puff ties white, black, solid colors, checks, stripes and figured patterns; Removal Sale... 26° 25c Men's Suspenders. The quality we regularly sell at the price—that means the best suspender to be had anywhere 17° for 25c; Removal Sale...... 15c Men's Handkerch'fs 75c Men's Shirts.

\$1.00 Men's Shirts. Plaids, stripes and fancy checked bosom; extra cuffs 68° Removal Sale..... Men's Hats.

\$2.00 Men's Hats. Pure fur fedora hats, the latest shapes, black, brown and \$1.08 \$2.50 Men's Hats. Derbys and fedoras, all new styles; black and brown derbys; pearl, black, brown, hazel and \$1.56

\$1.50 Men's Hats. Crusher styles made of pure fur; a dollar and a half hat; 89° Removal Sale.... 75c Golf Caps.

The fansy plaid caps sold readily in large quantities at 75c; can't move 'em to the new store; Removal Sale.....

BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.

TRADE IS NOT SO ENERGETIC.

YORK, Jan. 2.- [Exclusive Dis-NEW YORK, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dis-tch.] Nine cars of California oranges fe sold at auction today. Several rs of fancy navels and seedlings owed very poor quality and were low grade, which accounts for lower erages, but good fruit is in demand, d extra fancy navels averaged a fle higher than last Friday, owing cold weather and New Year's cele-ations. The trade today was rather II. There are now only nine cars

ton Citrus-fruit Market. OSTON, Jan. 2.—[Exclusive Dis-ch.] Jobbing trade is dull today. siness has not yet recovered from terday's storm. The weather is

adelphia Citrus-fruit Market. MILADELPHIA, Jan. 2.—(Exclu-Dispatch.) No auction sales of ges have taken place here since Friday, and the conditions remain it the same. The weather still inues cold. Nine cars of Califor-

B. James, president of the Lincoln National Bank, New York City, addressed the Chicago Bankers' Club December 18. Among other things he said: "It is a source of congratulation that gold is to be not only the yard stick of value is this country, but also the money of him who earns his weekly wage; and that the pialn people are now understanding that the best money for the capitalist is the best money for the capitalist is the best money for the wage armer. The election of William McKinley made it certain that the American people, as a whole, will tolerate no depreciation of its standard of value; and Congress is now obeying the will expressed in the election of 1996. That decision of itself gave an impetus to the confidence and hope, which, even before Mr. McKinley was seated in the Presidential chair, began to be reflected in a larger trade, more reviewed banking operations and higher credits. This was supplemented by bounteous harvests, with which God blessed the American people for three years, and, as we have learned, by an amazing development of our trade with other countries, not merely in food products, but in the products of the skill of our trained artisans, and of intelligent American labor."

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COMMERCIAL.

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				24, 1890.
Corn. Maine	\$.80	.50	\$.85	.10
Corn, Maryland Corn, N. Y. State	55	@ .80	-75	28. 10
Corn, N. Y. State	6	.90	.174	487 .85
Peas marrow	. 1.10	621.00	1.00	621.60
Beans, string	60	£1.50	.60	gr1.75
Tomatoes	73	14 CP . To	.75	9 .85
Buccotash	90	GT1.00		W1.10
Asparagus	1.70	674.00	1.75	94.25
Apples, gals	. 3.00	Q2.25	2.15	982.50
Peaches, standard	1.40	Q1.5	1.50	61.59
Apricots	. 1.45	Q1.40	1.70	g1.80
Pineapples	1.06	62.00	1.50	672.50
Pears, Bartlett	1.60	91.13	1.30	Ø1.70
Strawberries	9 55	91.00	2 20	61.00
Lobsters	2.00	60.10	95	9214
Oysters River	1 40	Z	1 80	A1 15
maimon, Col. River	4.90	47. 90	2.80	fra. 10

SHORT SARDINE PACK. Late advices from the coast of Maine indicate a shortage of 300,000 cases in the pack of sardines this year, says the New York Inquirer, and dealers are beginning to wonder where to turn for supplies. The season closed earlier than usual, and many of the packing-houses did not get nearly enough fish to fill their contracts. A corresponding advance in price is one of the certainties of the future. New canneries to be in operation next year, and to be free from the two principal canning syndicates are contemplated at Eastport and Lubec.

Lubec.
While the domestic pack has fallen off, the imported article shows a considerable increase. The value of imports for the first ten months of this year was \$970,684, against \$842,378 for the corresponding months of 1898.

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CAVIAR In twenty-five years caviar has grown to be one of the recognized delicacies of the American table, says the Kitchen. Of course, you know that it is only sturgeon roe, and all you get is not genuine, but the imitation approaches the genuine sufficiently to satisfy those who are not familiar with the real thing. The general and greatly increase favor with which caviars is received has caused a greater drain upon the sturgeon fisheries of Europe and those of the United States and Canada, which within the last few years have been called upon to meet the demand, and in consequence are approaching exhaustion. When the call for sturgeon roe was first made, most of the supply was procured from the northern rivers flowing into the Atlantic, and from the great fresh-water lakes on our northern boundaries—especially from the lake feeth within the Last two years there has been a very large catch in set nets, and pounds of the supply of eggs, and has proved a most cheeked of New Jersey and Long Island. This has added measurably to the supply of eggs, and has proved a most in supply in supp

GENERAL BUSINESS TOPICS. A THRIFTY PEOPLE. Denmark, gives forcible evidence of increasing yields, according to a writer in a rea population of 2,200,000, or 143 inhabitants per square mile. She is not only able to feed her steadily-increasing population, but is in a position to export considerable quantities of food products. In 1885 her exports of such products amounted to \$4,000,000, her imports to \$22,400,000—an excess of \$35,000,000, or \$17 per capita. The exports of food products, animal and vegetable, of the United States for the fiscal year 1897, amounted to \$390,000,000, or \$7.55 per capita. In the phenomenal year 1898 they rose to \$550,000,000, or \$7.55 per capita. According to official figures the production of grain about one hundred and fifty years ago amounted to 12,000,000 bushels annually. But now the rate of production is \$56,000,000 bushels, while during the period of 1881-1887 it rose to an average of \$6,000,000 bushels.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKETS.

LOS ANGELES MARKETS. Los, Angeles, Jan. 2, 1900.

The markets opened yesterday after two days of holiday suspension, with a

changes being reported.

Local eggs were very scarce, and finally held universally at 28 cents. The

finally held universally at 23 cents. The price in the country is 26 cents.

Stocks of fancy cold-storage eggs are about all exhausted. There are a good many standards in storage, but these do not compete at this date with strictly fresh eggs.

Butter is firm for fancy creamery. Cold-storage butter is practically gone. The local products in fairly meets the demand for good butter, as supplemented by invoices from along the coast. It is not likely that prices will change much in the current month. There is a very firm undertone to the cured-meat market. Deliveries of hogs in the West are very light at this time, and prices for hogs and their products are firm there.

Potatoes are unchanged in all respects. Some new ones are coming in and bring from first hands \$2.50 per cental. In a small way they sell at 3 to 5 cents per pound, as to size.

Good sweet potatoes are firm at \$1.25 per cental up, a few extra fine as high as \$1.50.

POULTRY—Dealers pay live weight for stock in good condition: 10612c per lb. for poultry; ducks, 8616; for turkey, 13614; geese, 9616. Honey and Beeswax.

HONEY-Per lb., in comb, frames, 124@14 rained, 7%08%. BEESWAX-Per lb., 24625.

TALLOW-Per 10., No. 1, 1929; No. 2, 2949.

Hay and Grain.

BARLEY-Mill price, 1.66.
OATS-Jobbing price, 14:691.50.
CORN-1.10.
HAY-New variey, 11.00912.50; alfalfa, 9.509
19.52; looss, 1.00912.50; per cental, 1.20.
WHEAT-Mill price, per cental, 1.20.

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Drafts and Silver. SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 2.—Silver bars, 29; exican dollars, 48@48%; draft:—sight, 12%;

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PROTECTION FROM FROST.

SUGGESTIONS FOR CALIFORNIA The weather bureau of the Depart-ment of Agriculture has issued a map showing the weather conditions immediately preceding heavy or killing frosts. Accompanying the map are some suggestions for citrus fruit grow-ers in California. Some valuable points

are presented.

In brief the conditions preceding frost

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Gen. Lawton's Epitaph.

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Henry C. Speere, formerly a bond broker and interested in some large western railway companies, was relieved of debts aggregating \$513,000. His assets were \$67,801.

Pratt & Pratt, formerly interested in the La Grange Land Association, were discharged of \$157,000 liabilities.

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Americus Club Band and Talks About His Cuban Campaign—Royal Arch Chapter Installs Officers—Mrs. dette's Salon.

PASADENA, Jan. 2.—[Regular Correspondence.] The closing episode of the visit of Maj.-Gen. William R. Shafter to Pasadena was his lecture in the Tabernacle this evening on the "Campaign in Cuba," which he generously save for the benefit of All Saints' partial house. The Americus Club Band turned out and escorted the general from Hotel Green to the Tabernacle, where a good audience was assembled. The lecture was in the vein of a familiar talk and was keenly enjoyed, Gen. safter proving a capital platform maker. He at once got possession of its audience, spoke in a high, clear was and expressed himself readily at a times, as he told the story of the meanations for the campaign, its exaing exploits and its brilliant culmina-

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PASADENA BREVITIES.

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The wedding of Samuel L. Wallis and Miss Elsie M. Palmer took place last evening at the home of the bride's parents on South Pasadena avenue, and was an unusually pretty affair, the floral effects being exquisite. The cou-

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TRESTLEWORK is making some extensive repairs to its trestle on the beach line in front of Santa Monica Cafion. The work includes the driving of a few new piles, the character of the operations led to a report that one of the spaces/now used as a driveway beneath the track was being widened to permit the electric railway to extend its line to the beach by that point. The report is said to be unfounded. The electric railway company is at present operating its new line on Ocean avenue from Oregon avenue northerly to a point near the city limits, which is quite a long step toward the cafion.

Three vagrants were gathered in by the local peace officers Monday, and this morning were taken to the County Jail for short terms.

Frank G. Schreiner of Los Angeles and Miss Ella Reid were married Sunday evening at the home of the bride's mother on Fifth street. The ceremony was conducted by Rev. J. O. Jennings.

RIVERSIDE COUNTY. SANTA ROSA RANCH SOLD. RIVERSIDE, Jan. 2.-[Associated Press.] A deed was placed on record here today by which the San Francisco Savings Union conveys to the Cosmos Land and Water Company 46,485 acres of the Santa Rosa Rancho in the south part of this county. Considera-tion \$183,500.

men J. T. Crane and J. S. Hurlbut make

of the Finance Committee. Councilmen J. T. Crane and J. S. Hurlbut make up the rest of the committee.

The usual preliminary ordinances were passed and one concerning the police department was read. The police force is to be increased. Ail officers will be required henceforth to wear uniforms and a regular police station is to be kept. All officers will receive \$60 per mouth. The regular meetings of the Council will occur on the first and third Thursdays of each month at 7:30 p.m.

E. M. Waterman, an inspector of work on the "gap," had a narrow escape yesterday from beling crushed by a falling stone at Corral Cafion.

The engineer's camps now located above Naples will soon be moved to a point this side of the cafion.

Juan Sanches, 72 years of age, who was badly injured some months ago in jumping off a train at Montalvo, died yestenday as a result of wounds received about the head in the accident. His funeral took place this afternoon. About one hundred and fifty persons gathered last evening at a eucher party given by the Woodmen of the World at the Y.M.C.A. rooms. Thes.was a big reception. A programme was prepared by the ladies of the Auxiliary Society. About two hundred people attended. Jack Step of this city reports having found last night Mr. Ogram of Goleta and a lady whose name he did not learn badly injured from an accident on the mountain grade. A break in the vehicle in which they were riding let them over the grade. Mr. Ogram's

VENTURA, Jan. 2.—[Regular Correspondence.] There was a sprinkle o rain during last night and this morn vicinity of the Mrs. John A. Logan, Jr., partments, and played several beauting steadily, and the prospects are for a heavy rain during the night. The rainfall for today amounted to about line and son, New York; H. W. Vall, Los Angeles; F. A. Spooner, Detroit. MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

SANTA BARBARA COUNTY.

NEW CITY GOVERNMENT.

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 2.—[Regular Correspondence.] The first meeting of the new City Council took place at 10:15 this morning. Mayor C. A. Storke was in the chair. Councilman N. D. Sfith was elected unanimously to the office carries with it the chairmanship of the Finance Committee. Council
MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

The new Board of City Trustees will meet at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the series of officers, who will serve at the pleasure of the board. At a recent caucus it was elected unanimously to the office carries with the chairmanship will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other important matters will be the separate at the City Hall this evening for the first time. Among other time.

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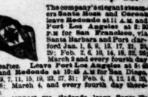
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City Briefs.

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Lou V. Chapin will conduct an historical course beginning Monday, January 8, 3:15 pm. Mrs. Kate Tupper Galpin's classes in English literature and rhetoric will organize Friday, January 5, 5 pm. For terms above courses apply at the school, 363 Blanchard building. By special arrangement The Times is able to furnish excellent medallions at from 45 to 80 cents, according to style and size, to any person subscribing for The Times. Medallilons can be seen at The Times business office. Bring your photo with you. The better the photo, the better the medallion. Learn all about Southern California, its climate, soil, people, productions, commerce, progress and general business conditions, by sending 10 cents for a copy of the mammoth Midwinter Edition of The Los Angeles Times, to be issued on January 1, 1900.

Postage rate on the Midwinter Number. The postage on the Midwinter Number, there magasine parts complete, wrapped ready for mailing, is 3 cents. If the Sunday news sheets are included the postage will be 5 cents.

Dr. D. M. Goodwin, formerly of Minnapolis, Minn., has opened his office in the Doublas building, rooms 444-445, corner Third and Spring sts.

W. E. Blackstone will address the Christian Alliance at Gospel Hall this afternoon, 2:30, on "israel as a Chansel of Blessing."

Swami Vivekananda today 10 a.m., Payne's Hall, 2304, S. Broadway. Subject "What Brings Success." Admission 50 cents.

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Occidental College opens today 10 a.m., Payne's Hall, 2304, S. Broadway. Subject "Sunbeam," 236 South Main st. Swami Vivekananda, Blanchard Hall tonight, 7:30; "India and Its People. Forty finest stamp photos only 25 cents. "Sunbeam," 236 South Main st. New class in Spanish to be formed at Y.W.C.A. Register this week.

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PERSONAL.

P. Bryan has returned from lays' trip in Prescott, Ariz. Murray, owning large oil inter-Pittsburgh, is in the city. ests at Pittsburgh, is in the city.

'J. P. Carroll of Randsburg has gone
to Cape Nome to engage in mining.

L. J. S. Greene, a business man of
Davenport, Iowa, is at the Van Nuys.

E. A. Humphreys, a mining broker of
Denver, and wife, are at the Van Nuys.

F. A. Jones, Santa Barbara agent of
the Santa Fé, is staying at the Nadeau.

W. C. Woodard, a mine-owner of
Barstow, and wife, are registered at
the Van Nuys.

C. J. Ashlin of London is at the

C. J. Ashlin of London is at the ter in Southern California.

R. B. Burns, the new chief engineer of the Santa Fé, is getting his offices on the fourth floor of the Bradbury building in order.

Chester W. Thompson and Mrs. Thompson leave here tonight for San Francisco, whence they sail on the Gaelic for Honolulu to be gone six weeks.

Dr. E. H. Garrett, who has been spending the holidays at his home, No. 701 North Grand avenue, has returned to Fresno, where he is engaged in hos-pital work.

A. J. Upton, a mining man of Weiser, Idaho, is registered at the Hollenbeck. W. P. Lett of RI erside is in the city. J. A. Lovett, a Cincinnati fruit buyer, is at the Hollenbeck. buyer, is at the Hollenbeck.

John F. Olsen of the Sacramento
Council of the United Commercial
Travelers of America, accompanied by
his wife, arrived in the city yesterdurafternoon, on a visit to Mrs. Olsen's

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were Insued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:
Louis Gervais, aged 37, a native of Canada, and Savannah I. Smith, aged 37, a native of Oregon; both residents

37. a native of Oregon; both residents of Los Angeles.
Edwin Lee Gilman, aged 26, a native of Minnesota and a resident of Redlands, and Gertrude Schwab, aged 25, a native of Michigan and a resident of Los Angeles.

Harry W. Sanford, aged 21, a native of Illinois, and Irene L. Rosson, aged 28, a native of Arisona; both residents of Los Angeles.

Abram F. Robbins, aged 28, a native of Iowa, and Agnes Lawson, aged 27, a native of Iowa; both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

DUNN-In this city, January 2, 1900, Aleysius J. Dunn, C.M., beloved son of Martin and

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PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR NOT HYP. NOTIZED BY O'BRYAN.

Demands Better Proof of Wolfsohn's Identity Before Returning Insurance Money-Insists That Mrs. O'Neil is the Best Witness-Wolfsohn Has

atisfaction of himself and the local representatives of the New York Lite Insurance Company, the identity of Aaron Wolfsohn, Attorney Ed C. O'Bryan is now proceeding to recover the \$10,000, which has been in the hands of Public Administrator Kellogg for of Public Administrator Kellogg for the past few weeks. The alleged Wolfsohn was not produced in court, and was not permitted an interview with the witness most competent to identify him, but small matters of this kind Go not worry the oily lawyer from Chicago. He is perfectly satisfied, and he expects other people to take his word for it.

Conferences were held yesterday between Attorney O'Bryan of Chicago, E. A. Meserve, the local attorney of the New York Life Insurance Company,



and S. A. D. Jones, the local representative of the company, with Public Administrator Kellogg and his attorney, Leon F. Moss. In view of the fact that Oscar J. Bamberger, attorney for Wolfsohn senior, had protested against the money being returned to the company without further identification of the young man whom Mr. O'Bryan had so mysteriously spirited into and out

so mysteriously spirited into and out of town, Mr. Kellogg felt he was justified in demanding further proofs.

But Wolfsohn is in Kansas City, according to Lawyer O'Bryan, who seems to be the only person who is able to keep track of that young gentleman's movements, and it is now impossible to produce him. Therefore, the Administrator must take O'Bryan's word that Aaron Wolfsohn was not buried last Aaron Wolfsohn was not buried last August and turn over the money. That the young man who came to this city last Saturday and departed so mysteriously Sunday evening is the Aaron Wolfsohn whose parents and relatives reside in St. Louis, there seems to be little doubt. The photograph received by Attorney Bamberger from Attorneys Sale & Sale of St. Louis, which is reproduced in this issue of The Times, is certainly a good likeness of the young man who was at the Van Nuys last Saturday night. This photograph was taken at Port Elizabeth, South Africa, some months before Wolfsohn applied, for insurance in Los Angeles, but the likeness is striking. Nor does this photograph bear any striking resemblance to the man who lies buried at Evergreen under the name of Aaron Wolfsohn. But this is only one of the queer things in connection with the case. Here are some pertinent queries:

Was there a crime committed in the Main-street lodging-house last July? If so, was it for the purpose of collecting an insurance policy on the life of another man?

If not was the mistaken identification of the supposed Wolfsohn 'ast



AARON WOLFSOHN.

summer taken advantage of by the real Wolfsohn as a means of securing the insurance money?

If not, what did Wolfsohn mean by writing to his brother-in-law that he would disclose himself as soon as he had provided for the family?

If he object of Lawyer O'Bryan and Wolfsohn in traveling all the way from Chicago to Los Angeles was solely to clear up the mystery and establish the identity of the living Wolfsohn, why did they studiously avoid the most competent witness in the matter, even to she extent of taking to their heels and hiding?

Why was not Wolfsohn produced in open court, where no honest man is afraid to show himself?

Finally, if a swindle has been attempted, is the New York Life Insurance Company a party to the deal, or has it compromised a felony?

Public Administrator Kellogg stated last evening that he still adheres to his determination, not to pay over the money to the company on the strength of the identification which has been presented. He demands more satisfactory proof, and will ask the company to produce Aaron Wolfsohn before him in the presence of Mrs. Maggie O'Neil, who, he thinks, is the most competent witness in the case. His attorney is satisfied that Aaron Wolfsohn is alive, and there is a slight disagreement between them on this point. As Wolfsohn has been identified only by spingless of the company, Mr. Kellogg does not feel justified in conglering the smatter settled, particularly as the young man seems to be a very slippery person, whose statements are frequently contrary to the truth.

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	Prunes, nice large Santa Clara, per pound	5
	Vienna Bread, fresh daily, per louf,	
	Tomato Catstp, Blue label, 25c size	10
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	Citron, Lemon and Orange Peel,	19
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t	Fresh Eggs.	90

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O'Bryan under restraint. The known facts are consistent only with the theory that Wolfsohn undertook to swindle the company and falled, and was forced by threats of prosecution to assist O'Bryan in recovering the money for the company.

O'Bryan seems to have told the truth when he said Wolfsohn had gone east. A hotel clerk, not a reporter, mistook a young lawyer in O'Bryan's company for the elusive Aaron on Monday night. The man who was found dead here in Juiy is still unidentified. He used the name Reuter or Reither. He was a Jew. He is described by Mrs. Collins as a quiet, studious, reserved and melancholy man, and not a fresh dude like Wolfsohn.

BROTHER-IN-LAW'S TALK.

BROTHER-IN-LAW'S TALK. ST. LOUIS, Jan. 2.—[Associated Press Report.] Nicholas Pesselberg Aaron Wolfsohn's brother-in-law, when Aaron Wolfsohn's brother-in-law, when seen today in regard to the accumulating contradictions to Wolfsohn's identification and also in reference to the doubts expressed by persons in position to know, said: "Aaron has done everything that can be expected of him to prove his identity. He has gone to Los Angeles, where the policy was obtained, and has shown himself to those who knew him there. I received a telegram from him last night. It was dated Los Angeles. His family has walved all claim to the insurance money, and that settles the whole thing, so far as we are concerned."

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